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IN THIS 5TH EDITION, CONTINUING HISTORICAL SERIES ARE BROUGHT UP TO DATE. THE PLACEMENT OF COMPARATIVE STATE INFORMATION ADJACENT TO COUNTY DATA, WHICH FIRST APPEARED IN THE 4TH EDITION, IS ALSO A FEATURE OF THIS ISSUE.

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- TABLE 1.1 -
AREA AND POPULATION

ITEM	1980 LAND AREA SQ.MI.	1980 PERSONS	1980 PER SQ.MI.	PERCENT CHANGE '70 TO '80	PERCENT CHANGE '60 TO '70	POPULATION 1970	1960	1950	1940
MONTANA	145,392	786,690	5.4	13.3	2.9	694,409	674,767	591,024	559,456
PONDERA	1,632	6,731	4.1	1.8	-13.6	6,611	7,653	6,392	6,716

- TABLE 1.2 -
POPULATION BY RESIDENCE

ITEM	*URBAN POPULATION 1980 PERSONS	PERCENT OF TOTAL	PERCENT CHANGE '70 TO '80	PERCENT CHANGE '60 TO '70	*RURAL POPULATION 1980 PERSONS	PERCENT CHANGE '70 TO '80	PERCENT CHANGE '60 TO '70	1980 PERSONS IN PLACES OF LESS THAN 2500
MONTANA	416,402	52.9	12.3	9.5	370,288	14.4	-3.7	86,592
PONDERA	3,074	45.7	11.0	3.9	3,657	-4.8	-23.0	640

- TABLE 1.3 -
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE

ITEM	TOTAL HOUSEHOLDS 1980	PERCENT CHANGE '70 TO '80	PERCENT CHANGE '60 TO '70	MARRIED COUPLE HOUSEHOLDS 1980	1970	1960	ONE-PERSON HOUSEHOLDS 1980	1970	1960
MONTANA	283,742	30.6	7.4	178,606	152,374	150,263	66,350	43,037	33,987
PONDERA	2,334	16.8	-4.1	1,592	1,453	1,582	532	357	296

... NOT APPLICABLE. *SEE APPENDIX A FOR DEFINITION.

SOURCE: TABLE 1.1 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF POPULATION: 1980, V.1, PC80-1-A28 NUMBER OF INHABITANTS, MONT.
TABLE 1.2 IBID.
TABLE 1.3 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF POPULATION & HOUSING: 1970 & 1980, COMPUTER TAPES; 1960, V.1,PT.28.

- TABLE 1.4 -
POPULATION BY AGE: 1960, 1970, AND 1980

ITEM	ALL AGES	UNDER 10 YRS.	10 TO 19 YRS.	20 TO 29 YRS.	30 TO 39 YRS.	40 TO 49 YRS.	50 TO 59 YRS.	60 TO 69 YRS.	70 TO 79 YRS.	80 YRS. AND OVER	MEDIAN AGE
1980											
MONTANA	786,690	124,693	137,161	145,534	109,454	76,688	73,920	64,290	36,841	18,109	29.0
PONDERA	6,731	1,181	1,173	981	873	663	700	578	368	214	30.3
1970											
MONTANA	694,409	129,312	148,964	93,724	73,940	77,397	73,901	50,463	30,678	16,030	27.1
PONDERA	6,611	1,278	1,507	679	693	737	748	514	293	162	27.9
1960											
MONTANA	674,767	160,150	117,809	78,460	84,502	83,141	61,827	46,255	33,142	9,481	27.6
PONDERA	7,653	1,990	1,465	832	922	923	643	456	329	93	24.8
PERCENT											
1980											
MONTANA	100.0	15.9	17.4	18.5	13.9	9.7	9.4	8.2	4.7	2.3	...
PONDERA	100.0	17.5	17.4	14.6	13.0	9.8	10.4	8.6	5.5	3.2	...
1970											
MONTANA	100.0	18.6	21.5	13.5	10.6	11.1	10.6	7.3	4.4	2.3	...
PONDERA	100.0	19.3	22.8	10.3	10.5	11.1	11.3	7.8	4.4	2.5	...
1960											
MONTANA	100.0	23.7	17.5	11.6	12.5	12.3	9.2	6.9	4.9	1.4	...
PONDERA	100.0	26.0	19.1	10.9	12.0	12.1	8.4	6.0	4.3	1.2	...

...NOT APPLICABLE.

SOURCE: U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF POPULATION: 1970 & 1980, COMPUTER TAPES; 1960, V.1,PT.28.

- TABLE 1.5 -
COMPONENTS OF POPULATION CHANGE: 1970 AND 1980

POPULATION		CHANGE		COMPONENTS OF CHANGE (ESTIMATES)			
						*NET MIGRATION	
1980	1970	NUMBER	PERCENT	BIRTHS	DEATHS	NUMBER	PERCENT
6,731	6,611	120	1.8	1,127	625	-382	-6

- TABLE 1.6 -
**POPULATION BY URBAN AND RURAL RESIDENCE: 1970 AND 1980

RESIDENCE	1980 NUMBER	1980 PERCENT OF TOTAL	1970 NUMBER	1970 PERCENT OF TOTAL	PERCENT CHANGE 1970 TO 1980
TOTAL POPULATION	6,731	100.0	6,611	100.0	1.8
URBAN**	3,074	45.7	2,770	41.9	11.0
RURAL**	3,657	54.3	3,841	58.1	-4.8
IN PLACES 1000 TO 2500	0	0.0	0	0.0	...
IN PLACES LESS THAN 1000	640	9.5	651	9.8	-1.7
IN OTHER RURAL AREAS**	3,017	44.8	3,190	48.3	-5.4

- TABLE 1.7 -
POPULATION BY RACE: 1970 AND 1980

RACE	1980 NUMBER	1980 PERCENT OF TOTAL	1970 NUMBER	1970 PERCENT OF TOTAL	PERCENT CHANGE 1970 TO 1980
TOTAL POPULATION	6,731	100.0	6,611	100.0	1.8
WHITE	6,050	89.9	6,055	91.6	-0.1
NON-WHITE	681	10.1	556	8.4	22.5
INDIAN	655	9.7	546	8.3	20.0
OTHER	26	0.4	10	0.2	160.0

*NET MIGRATION - THE EXCESS OF PEOPLE MOVING INTO AN AREA OVER THOSE MOVING OUT. NEGATIVE NET MIGRATION MEANS MORE PEOPLE LEFT AN AREA THAN MIGRATED INTO IT.
...NOT APPLICABLE. **SEE APPENDIX A FOR DEFINITIONS.

SOURCE: TABLE 1.5 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF POPULATION: 1980, V.1, PC80-1-A28 NUMBER OF INHABITANTS, MONTANA. AND MONTANA CENSUS & ECONOMIC INFORMATION CENTER, NET MIGRATION COMPUTATION.
TABLE 1.6 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF POPULATION & HOUSING: 1970 & 1980 COMPUTER TAPES.
TABLE 1.7 IBID.

- TABLE 1.8 -
POPULATION BY AGE AND SEX: 1970 AND 1980

AGE/SEX GROUP	1980 NUMBER	1980 PERCENT OF TOTAL	1970 NUMBER	1970 PERCENT OF TOTAL	PERCENT CHANGE 1970 TO 1980
TOTAL, ALL AGES	6,731	100.0	6,611	100.0	1.8
UNDER 5	627	9.3	566	8.6	10.8
5 TO 17	1,518	22.6	2,061	31.2	-26.3
18 TO 59	3,426	50.9	3,015	45.6	13.6
60 TO 64	309	4.6	300	4.5	3.0
65 AND OVER	851	12.6	669	10.1	27.2
5 YEARS OLD	122	1.8	137	2.1	-10.9
18 YEARS OLD	115	1.7	101	1.5	13.9
UNDER 15	1,749	26.0	2,120	32.1	-17.5
MEDIAN AGE	30.3	...	27.9	...	8.6
MALE, ALL AGES	3,346	100.0	3,268	100.0	2.4
UNDER 5	299	8.9	278	8.5	7.6
5 TO 17	788	23.6	992	30.4	-20.6
18 TO 59	1,713	51.2	1,510	46.2	13.4
60 TO 64	153	4.6	163	5.0	-6.1
65 AND OVER	393	11.7	325	9.9	20.9
5 YEARS OLD	69	2.1	89	2.7	-22.5
18 YEARS OLD	61	1.8	48	1.5	27.1
UNDER 15	875	26.2	1,024	31.3	-14.6
MEDIAN AGE	30.0	...	28.6	...	4.9
FEMALE, ALL AGES	3,385	100.0	3,343	100.0	1.3
UNDER 5	328	9.7	288	8.6	13.9
5 TO 17	730	21.6	1,069	32.0	-31.7
18 TO 59	1,713	50.6	1,505	45.0	13.8
60 TO 64	156	4.6	137	4.1	13.9
65 AND OVER	458	13.5	344	10.3	33.1
5 YEARS OLD	53	1.6	48	1.4	10.4
18 YEARS OLD	54	1.6	53	1.6	1.9
UNDER 15	874	25.8	1,096	32.8	-20.3
MEDIAN AGE	30.7	...	27.1	...	13.3

...NOT APPLICABLE.

SOURCE: U.S. BUREAU OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF POPULATION: 1970 & 1980, COMPUTER TAPES.

- TABLE 1.9 -
*HOUSEHOLDS AND **FAMILIES BY TYPE: 1970 AND 1980

ITEM	1980	1970	PERCENT CHANGE 1970 TO 1980
NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS	2,334	1,998	16.8
WITH PERSONS 60 YEARS AND OVER	783	NA	NA
NUMBER OF ONE-PERSON HOUSEHOLDS	532	357	49.0
WITH HOUSEHOLDER 60 YEARS AND OVER	282	NA	NA
PERSONS PER HOUSEHOLD	2.85	3.28	-13.1
NUMBER OF FAMILIES	1,773	1,606	10.4
HUSBAND-WIFE FAMILIES	1,592	1,453	9.6
FAMILIES WITH FEMALE HEAD	136	113	20.4
PERSONS PER FAMILY	3.40	3.75	-9.3

- TABLE 1.10 -
PRELIMINARY ESTIMATES OF THE INTERCENSAL POPULATION. POPULATION PROJECTIONS: 1990 AND 2000
(STATE FIGURES SHOWN TO NEAREST THOUSAND; COUNTY FIGURES TO NEAREST HUNDRED)

ITEM	JULY 1 FOR ALL YEARS EXCEPT APRIL 1 FOR 1980									PROJECTIONS	
	1984	1983	1982	1981	1980	1979	1978	1977	1976	1990	2000
MONTANA	824,000	817,000	805,000	796,000	786,690	789,000	784,000	771,000	759,000	860,000	936,000
PONDERA	7,100	7,000	6,900	6,700	6,731	6,900	6,900	7,300	6,700	6,700	6,500

NA NOT AVAILABLE.

*HOUSEHOLD: ONE OR MORE PERSONS WHO OCCUPY A HOUSING UNIT. A HOUSING UNIT IS A HOUSE, AN APARTMENT, A GROUP OF ROOMS, OR A SINGLE ROOM THAT COMPRISE SEPARATE LIVING QUARTERS.

**FAMILY: TWO OR MORE RELATED PERSONS LIVING IN THE SAME HOUSEHOLD.

SOURCE: TABLE 1.9 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF POPULATION & HOUSING: 1970 & 1980, COMPUTER TAPES.
TABLE 1.10 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, UNPUBLISHED DATA. CEIC/COMMERCE, COUNTY POPULATION PROJECTIONS, SEPT. 1981.

- TABLE 2.1 -
CIVILIAN VETERANS OF ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY SERVICE BY PERIOD OF SERVICE: 1980
(DATA BASED ON SAMPLE)

ITEM	CIVILIAN PERSONS 16 YRS & OVER	PERCENT VETERANS	WORLD WAR I	WORLD WAR II	KOREAN CONFLICT	VIETNAM ERA	MAY 1975 OR LATER ONLY	OTHER
MONTANA	580,565	18.7	2,042	38,619	17,231	33,270	3,497	13,931
PONDERA	4,856	17.5	26	326	161	239	9	91

- TABLE 2.2 -
CRIMINAL OFFENSES AND CRIME RATES: 1981 TO 1983
*(SEVEN MAJOR INDEX CRIMES ONLY)

ITEM	1983 NO. OF ACTUAL OFFENSES	1983 RATE PER 1,000 PERSONS	1982 NO. OF ACTUAL OFFENSES	1982 RATE PER 1,000 PERSONS	1981 NO. OF ACTUAL OFFENSES	1981 RATE PER 1,000 PERSONS
MONTANA	34,980	42.8	34,495	43.0	35,872	45.3
PONDERA	70	9.9	64	9.2	69	10.1

- TABLE 2.3 -
HEALTH AND HOSPITALS: 1984

ITEM	PHYSICIANS, ACTIVE, NON-FEDERAL NUMBER	PHYSICIANS **RATE	DENTISTS, ACTIVE, NON-FEDERAL NUMBER	DENTISTS **RATE	NURSES, LICENSED (RN & LPN) NUMBER	NURSES **RATE	PRIVATE HOSPITALS NUMBER	PRIVATE HOSPITALS BEDS NUMBER	PRIVATE HOSPITALS BEDS **RATE	PRIVATE LONG-TERM CARE FACILITIES NUMBER	PRIVATE LONG-TERM CARE FACILITIES BEDS NUMBER	PRIVATE LONG-TERM CARE FACILITIES BEDS **RATE
MONTANA	1,266	153.6	549	66.6	10,114	1,227.4	60	3,364	408.2	90	5,878	713.3
PONDERA	5	70.4	3	42.2	77	1,084.5	1	49	690.1	1	63	887.3

NA NOT AVAILABLE.

*INCLUDES HOMICIDE, RAPE, ROBBERY, AGGRAVATED ASSAULT, BURGLARY, LARCENY/THEFT, AND MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT.

**RATE PER 100,000 POPULATION.

SOURCE: TABLE 2.1 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF POPULATION: 1980, COMPUTER TAPE.
TABLE 2.2 MONTANA BOARD OF CRIME CONTROL, CRIME IN MONTANA, ANNUAL.
TABLE 2.3 DEPT OF HEALTH & ENVIRONMENTAL SCI., MONTANA HEALTH DATA BOOK & MEDICAL FACILITIES INVENTORY, 1984.

- TABLE 2.4 -
SELECTED VITAL STATISTICS: 1960, 1970, AND 1980

ITEM	NUMBER OF LIVE BIRTHS	OUT-OF-WEDLOCK BIRTHS PER 1,000 LIVE BIRTHS	NUMBER OF DEATHS	NUMBER OF INFANT DEATHS	NUMBER OF MARRIAGES SOLEMNIZED	NUMBER OF MARITAL TERMINATIONS
1980						
MONTANA	14,208	125.0	6,664	176	8,336	4,940
PONDERA	131	198.5	48	2	61	21
1970						
MONTANA	12,622	95.1	6,597	272	6,919	3,051
PONDERA	105	85.7	61	2	71	24
1960						
MONTANA	17,448	32.3	6,525	421	5,883	2,003
PONDERA	221	67.9	67	6	63	11

- TABLE 2.5 -
BIRTH RATES AND DEATH RATES: SELECTED YEARS
(BASED ON POPULATION AS OF APRIL 1 FOR 1960, 1970, 1980; JULY 1 FOR OTHER YEARS)

ITEM	BIRTHS PER 1,000 POPULATION									DEATHS PER 1,000 POPULATION								
	1984	1983	1982	1981	1980	1979	1975	1970	1960	1984	1983	1982	1981	1980	1979	1975	1970	1960
MONTANA	17.1	17.2	18.1	18.0	18.1	17.9	16.1	18.2	25.9	8.1	8.1	8.2	8.5	8.5	8.2	8.7	9.5	9.7
PONDERA	19.4	20.5	21.0	17.6	19.5	18.7	15.1	15.9	28.9	9.7	9.7	9.1	10.9	7.1	7.7	9.3	9.2	8.8

SOURCE: TABLE 2.4 MONTANA DEPT OF HEALTH & ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES, BUR OF RECORDS & STATISTICS, MONTANA VITAL STATISTICS (ANNUAL).
TABLE 2.5 IBID.

- TABLE 2.6 -
PLACE OF BIRTH, *NATIVE POPULATION: 1970 AND 1980
(DATA BASED ON SAMPLE)

ITEM	1980	1970
TOTAL NATIVE POPULATION	6,497	6,403
BORN IN MONTANA	4,610	4,210
BORN IN DIFFERENT STATE	1,887	1,865
PERCENT OF TOTAL	29.0	29.1
BORN ABROAD, AT SEA, ETC.	0	68
STATE OF BIRTH NOT REPORTED	...	260

- TABLE 2.7 -
LIVE BIRTHS, DEATHS, MARRIAGES, AND MARITAL TERMINATIONS: 1974 - 1984
(BIRTHS AND DEATHS BY RESIDENCE; MARRIAGES AND MARITAL TERMINATIONS BY OCCURRENCE)

YEAR	NUMBER OF LIVE BIRTHS	OUT-OF-WEDLOCK BIRTHS PER 1,000 LIVE BIRTHS	NUMBER OF DEATHS	NUMBER OF INFANT DEATHS	NUMBER OF MARRIAGES SOLEMNIZED	NUMBER OF MARITAL TERMINATIONS
1984	138	159.4	69	3	50	22
1983	142	225.4	67	2	51	9
1982	143	160.8	62	2	63	19
1981	118	152.5	73	1	72	12
1980	131	198.5	48	2	61	21
1979	133	172.9	55	1	56	13
1978	118	152.5	58	4	51	14
1977	130	130.8	54	2	53	29
1976	121	90.9	61	1	65	22
1975	104	115.4	64	1	51	18
1974	91	131.9	67	0	77	22

...NOT APPLICABLE.

*PERSONS BORN IN THE U.S., IN THE COMMONWEALTH OF PUERTO RICO, IN AN OUTLYING AREA OF THE U.S., OR AT SEA.

SOURCE: TABLE 2.6 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF POPULATION: 1980, COMPUTER TAPE; 1970, V.1, PT.28, MONTANA.
TABLE 2.7 MONTANA DEPT OF HEALTH & ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES, BUR OF RECORDS & STATISTICS, MONTANA VITAL STATISTICS (ANNUAL).

- TABLE 2.8 -
DEATHS AND DEATH RATES BY *FOUR LEADING CAUSES: 1974 - 1984
(RATES PER 100,000 RESIDENT POPULATION AS OF APRIL 1, 1980 AND JULY 1, OTHER YRS)

YEAR	HEART DISEASE NUMBER	HEART DISEASE RATE	CANCER NUMBER	CANCER RATE	CARDIOVASCULAR DISEASE (STROKE) NUMBER	CARDIOVASCULAR DISEASE (STROKE) RATE	ACCIDENTS NUMBER	ACCIDENTS RATE
1984	17	239.4	23	323.9	3	42.3	4	56.3
1983	26	376.8	11	159.4	2	29.0	2	29.0
1982	14	205.9	13	191.2	3	44.1	4	58.8
1981	20	298.5	19	283.6	7	104.5	6	89.6
1980	19	282.3	5	74.3	5	74.3	4	59.4
1979	14	197.2	16	225.4	4	56.3	6	84.5
1978	21	291.7	10	138.9	6	83.3	6	83.3
1977	14	189.2	11	148.6	5	67.6	5	67.6
1976	17	282.9	8	114.3	6	85.7	9	128.6
1975	24	347.8	11	159.4	5	72.5	8	115.9
1974	22	328.4	11	164.2	4	59.7	8	119.4

- TABLE 2.9 -
MARITAL STATUS, PERSONS 15 YEARS OLD AND OVER, BY SEX, BY AGE: 1980

ITEM	MALE AGE 15+	MALE 15-24 YRS	MALE 25-34 YRS	MALE 35-59 YRS	MALE 60 YRS & OVER	FEMALE AGE 15+	FEMALE 15-24 YRS	FEMALE 25-34 YRS	FEMALE 35-59 YRS	FEMALE 60 YRS & OVER
TOTAL PERSONS	2,471	560	478	887	546	2,511	541	472	884	614
NEVER MARRIED	652	446	101	66	39	455	355	57	22	21
MARRIED, EXCEPT SEPARATED	1,633	101	337	767	428	1,636	169	383	759	325
SEPARATED	19	2	9	4	4	24	5	9	7	3
WIDOWED	61	0	0	11	50	303	0	3	44	256
DIVORCED	106	11	31	39	25	93	12	20	52	9

*FOUR LEADING CAUSES SHOWN REPRESENT EXPERIENCE OF ENTIRE STATE; AN INDIVIDUAL COUNTY MAY HAVE OTHER CAUSES OF DEATH WHICH SHOULD APPEAR AMONG THE TOP FOUR.

SOURCE: TABLE 2.8 MONTANA DEPT OF HEALTH & ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES, BUR OF RECORDS & STATISTICS, MONTANA VITAL STATISTICS (ANNUAL).
TABLE 2.9 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF POPULATION: 1980, COMPUTER TAPE.

- TABLE 3.1 -
YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED, PERSONS 18 YEARS AND OVER AND
PERSONS 25 YEARS AND OVER: 1970 AND 1980
(DATA BASED ON SAMPLE)

	- - PERSONS 18 YEARS AND OVER - -				- - - - - PERSONS 25 YEARS AND OVER - - - - -				
		PERCENT COMPLETING				PERCENT COMPLETING			
ITEM	TOTAL	11 YEARS OR LESS	12 YEARS OR MORE	16 YEARS OR MORE	TOTAL	LESS THAN 8 YEARS	11 YEARS OR LESS	12 YEARS OR MORE	16 YEARS OR MORE	MEDIAN SCHOOL YEARS COMPLETED
1980										
MONTANA	554,887	24.6	75.4	15.2	450,862	4.7	25.6	74.4	17.5	12.6
PONDERA	4,577	30.7	69.3	13.7	3,881	6.7	31.3	68.7	15.4	12.5
1970										
MONTANA	440,583	38.8	61.2	10.1	364,508	8.9	40.8	59.2	11.0	12.3
PONDERA	3,984*	44.6	55.4	8.9	3,521	9.4	44.6	55.4	9.4	12.1

- TABLE 3.2 -
SCHOOL ENROLLMENT, YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED, AND LABOR FORCE STATUS,
PERSONS 16 TO 19 YEARS OLD: 1980
(DATA BASED ON SAMPLE)

				- - CIVILIAN PERSONS - -					
				HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES			NOT HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES		
ITEM	TOTAL	PERSONS IN ARMED FORCES	- ENROLLED - AS PERCENT OF PERSONS 16 TO 19	EMPLOYED	NOT EMPLOYED	NOT IN LABOR FORCE	EMPLOYED	NOT EMPLOYED	NOT IN LABOR FORCE
MONTANA	60,644	574	71.9	6,602	1,425	1,929	2,661	1,157	2,690
PONDERA	480	0	81.3	44	7	2	8	6	23

*SAMPLE TOTAL FOR PERSONS 18 YEARS AND OVER NOT AVAILABLE FOR 1970; 100 PERCENT DATA USED.

SOURCE: TABLE 3.1 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF POPULATION: 1970 AND 1980, COMPUTER TAPES.
TABLE 3.2 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF POPULATION: 1980, COMPUTER TAPE.

- TABLE 3.3 -
ENROLLMENT BY SCHOOL LEVEL AND TYPE OF SCHOOL, PERSONS 3 YEARS OLD AND OVER: 1980
(DATA BASED ON SAMPLE)

ITEM	TOTAL PERSONS 3 YEARS & OVER	PERCENT ENROLLED IN SCHOOL	*ALL REGULAR SCHOOL ENROLLMENT: NURSERY SCHOOL	KINDERGARTEN AND ELEMENTARY (GR K-8)	HIGH SCHOOL (GR 9-12)	**COLLEGE	PRIVATE REGULAR SCHOOL ENROLLMENT: NURSERY SCHOOL	KINDERGARTEN AND ELEMENTARY (GR K-8)	HIGH SCHOOL (GR 9-12)	**COLLEGE
MONTANA	746,883	27.7	6,327	110,406	54,096	35,875	3,388	4,936	1,757	3,298
PONDERA	6,337	25.4	39	981	545	45	27	35	6	0

- TABLE 3.4 -
PUBLIC SCHOOL ENROLLMENT BY GRADE: 1979-80 THROUGH 1984-85

ITEM	- - - - - SCHOOL YEAR - - - - - 1984-85	1983-84	1982-83	1981-82	1980-81	1979-80
***FULL TIME EQUIVALENT ENROLLMENT	1,325.0	1,348.0	1,354.0	1,399.0	1,403	1,478
KINDERGARTEN	128	116	108	108	115	104
FIRST GRADE	113	112	120	125	102	109
SECOND GRADE	117	114	116	99	97	106
THIRD GRADE	107	118	102	102	111	101
FOURTH GRADE	116	102	93	103	97	135
FIFTH GRADE	105	100	102	99	130	102
SIXTH GRADE	93	102	107	133	101	125
SEVENTH GRADE	102	109	123	102	129	135
EIGHTH GRADE	103	125	95	128	125	127
NINTH GRADE	114	94	117	121	114	113
TENTH GRADE	89	110	109	101	108	111
ELEVENTH GRADE	103	99	100	111	110	133
TWELFTH GRADE	95	100	106	110	121	127
UNGRADED AND SPECIAL EDUCATION	4	5	10	11	0	2

*"REGULAR SCHOOLS" INCLUDE NURSERY OTHER THAN CUSTODIAL DAY CARE, KINDERGARTEN, ELEMENTARY, AND SCHOOLING WHICH LEADS TO A HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA OR COLLEGE DEGREE. ATTENDANCE CAN BE EITHER BY DAY OR NIGHT, FULL OR PART TIME.
**INCLUDES ONLY THOSE STUDENTS WHO LIVE IN THE COUNTY, NOT STUDENTS WHOSE PARENTAL HOME IS IN THE COUNTY BUT WHO LIVE OUTSIDE THE COUNTY WHILE ATTENDING COLLEGE.
***KINDERGARTEN COUNTED AS HALF TIME; ALL OTHER, FULL TIME.

SOURCE: TABLE 3.3 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF POPULATION: 1980, COMPUTER TAPE.
TABLE 3.4 OFFICE OF THE SUPT. OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION, MONTANA PUBLIC SCHOOL ENROLLMENT DATA, ANNUAL, COMPUTER TAPE.

- TABLE 3.5 -
PUBLIC SCHOOL PUPIL-TEACHER RATIO: 1980-81 THROUGH 1984-85

	1984-85	1983-84	1982-83	1981-82	1980-81
*FULL TIME EQUIVALENT ENROLLMENT	1,325.0	1,348.0	1,354.0	1,399.0	1,403
KINDERGARTEN	128	116	108	108	115
ELEMENTARY (1 - 8)	860	887	868	902	892
SECONDARY (9 - 12)	401	403	432	443	453
CLASSROOM TEACHERS	93.0	90.0	103.0	120.0	123.1
PUPIL-TEACHER RATIO (DERIVED)	14.2	15.0	13.1	11.7	11.4

- TABLE 3.6 -
GENERAL FUND REVENUE FOR BUDGET SUPPORT OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS AND BUDGETED EXPENDITURE PER PUPIL, ALL DISTRICTS: 1979-80 THROUGH 1984-85

	1984-85 SCHOOL YEAR (DOLLARS)	1983-84 SCHOOL YEAR (DOLLARS)	1982-83 SCHOOL YEAR (DOLLARS)	1981-82 SCHOOL YEAR (DOLLARS)	1980-81 SCHOOL YEAR (DOLLARS)	1979-80 SCHOOL YEAR (DOLLARS)
TOTAL GENERAL FUND REVENUE	4,496,084	4,152,924	3,875,429	3,623,438	3,125,597	2,891,203
SPECIAL EDUCATION	218,420	300,268	207,877	201,637	181,052	222,835
NET GENERAL FUND REVENUE	4,277,664	213,162	3,667,552	3,421,801	2,944,545	2,668,368
FOUNDATION SCHEDULE	2,124,150	2,075,966	2,034,518	1,802,581	1,593,465	1,603,130
PERMISSIVE LEVY AMOUNT	531,037	518,991	508,629	450,645	398,366	400,783
VOTED LEVY AMOUNT	1,622,476	1,344,805	1,124,405	1,168,574	952,714	664,455
**ANB (PUPILS)	1,380	1,392	1,426	1,458	1,524	1,708
***BUDGETED EXPENDITURE PER PUPIL	3,100	2,830	2,572	2,347	1,932	1,562

*INCLUDES UNGRADED/SPECIAL EDUCATION PUPILS; KINDERGARTEN COUNTED AS HALF TIME, ALL OTHER, FULL TIME.
**AVERAGE NUMBER BELONGING IN PUBLIC SCHOOL PREVIOUS YEAR.
***DOES NOT INCLUDE SPECIAL EDUCATION.

SOURCE: TABLE 3.5 OFFICE OF THE SUPT. OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION, MONTANA SCHOOL STATISTICS, COMPUTER TAPE.
TABLE 3.6 IBID.

- TABLE 4.1 -
HOUSING UNITS BY TYPE OF AREA: 1980
(INCLUDING VACANT SEASONAL AND MIGRATORY UNITS)

ITEM	*URBAN 1980 HOUSING UNITS	PERCENT OF TOTAL	PERCENT CHANGE '70 TO '80	PERCENT CHANGE '60 TO '70	*RURAL 1980 HOUSING UNITS	PERCENT CHANGE '70 TO '80	PERCENT CHANGE '60 TO '70	1980 UNITS IN PLACES OF LESS THAN 2500
MONTANA	171,389	52.2	33.6	8.3	157,076	32.8	-7.3	37,738
PONDERA	1,294	47.9	32.4	NA	1,408	9.1	NA	276

- TABLE 4.2 -
YEAR-ROUND HOUSING UNITS--OCCUPANCY CHARACTERISTICS: 1960, 1970, AND 1980

ITEM	YR-ROUND UNITS	OCCUPIED UNITS	OWNER OCCUPIED AS PERCENT OF ALL OCCUPIED	VACANT FOR SALE ONLY	**HOMEOWNER VACANCY RATE	VACANT FOR RENT	***RENTAL VACANCY RATE
1980							
MONTANA	315,015	283,742	68.6	3,739	1.9	10,997	11.0
PONDERA	2,636	2,334	69.1	38	2.3	129	15.2
1970							
MONTANA	240,304	217,304	65.7	1,846	1.3	8,102	9.8
PONDERA	2,214	1,998	71.2	25	1.7	45	7.2
1960							
MONTANA	220,544	202,240	64.0	1,845	1.4	7,497	9.3
PONDERA	2,279	2,083	69.0	13	0.9	37	5.4

NA NOT AVAILABLE.

*SEE APPENDIX A FOR DEFINITION.

**VACANT UNITS FOR SALE DIVIDED BY ALL OWNER-OCCUPIED UNITS AND ALL YEAR-ROUND VACANT UNITS FOR SALE.
***VACANT UNITS FOR RENT DIVIDED BY ALL RENTER-OCCUPIED UNITS AND ALL YEAR-ROUND VACANT UNITS FOR RENT.

SOURCE: TABLE 4.1 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF HOUSING: 1980, COMPUTER TAPE.
TABLE 4.2 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF HOUSING: 1970 AND 1980, COMPUTER TAPES;
1960, V.1, PT 28.

- TABLE 4.3 -
YEAR-ROUND HOUSING UNITS--STRUCTURAL CHARACTERISTICS: 1970 AND 1980
(DATA BASED ON SAMPLE)

ITEM	YR-ROUND UNITS	ONE-UNIT STRUCTURES (PERCENT)	IN STRUCTURES WITH 2 OR MORE UNITS (PERCENT)	*MOBILE HOMES OR TRAILERS (PERCENT)	UNITS WITH MORE THAN 1 BATHROOM (PERCENT)	UNITS WITH 3 OR MORE BEDROOMS (PERCENT)	IN STRUCTURES BUILT 1970 TO 1980 (PERCENT)
1980							
MONTANA	315,098	66.2	20.8	12.9	32.8	47.9	30.7
PONDERA	2,659	68.2	18.9	12.9	33.1	51.0	24.8
1970							
MONTANA	240,755	74.1	18.9	7.0	20.1	43.1	...
PONDERA	2,198	84.8	9.0	6.3	25.4	50.5	...

- TABLE 4.4 -
OCCUPIED HOUSING UNITS--SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS: 1970 AND 1980

ITEM	OCCUPIED UNITS	MEDIAN NUMBER OF ROOMS	MEDIAN NUMBER OF PERSONS PER UNIT	PERCENT LACKING COMPLETE PLUMBING	MEDIAN VALUE, SPECIFIED OWNER-OCCUPIED (DOLLARS)	MEDIAN CONTRACT RENT, SPECIFIED RENTER-OCCUPIED (DOLLARS)
1980						
MONTANA	283,742	5.0	2.3	2.3	46,500	165
PONDERA	2,334	5.1	2.4	2.7	30,600	133
1970						
MONTANA	217,304	4.7	2.6	6.6	14,000	71
PONDERA	1,998	4.8	2.8	9.3	11,100	66

...NOT APPLICABLE.

*VACANT MOBILE HOMES EXCLUDED IN 1970; INCLUDED IN 1980 IF INTENDED FOR OCCUPANCY WHERE THEY STAND.

SOURCE: TABLE 4.3 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF HOUSING: 1970 AND 1980, COMPUTER TAPES.
TABLE 4.4 IBID.

- TABLE 4.5 -
TENURE & OCCUPANCY STATUS BY PLUMBING & UTILIZATION CHARACTERISTICS: 1970 AND 1980

ITEM	TOTAL YEAR-ROUND 1980	TOTAL YEAR-ROUND 1970	TOTAL OCCUPIED 1980	TOTAL OCCUPIED 1970	RENTER OCCUPIED 1980	RENTER OCCUPIED 1970
HOUSING UNITS	2,636	2,214	2,334	1,998	721	576
WITH COMPLETE PLUMBING FOR EXCLUSIVE USE	2,525	1,956	2,272	1,813	675	484
LACKING COMPLETE PLUMBING FOR EXCLUSIVE USE	111	258	62	185	46	92
NO PLUMBING FACILITIES	71	112	39	70	33	20
WITH 1.01 OR MORE PERSONS PER ROOM, LACKING COMPLETE PLUMBING FOR EXCLUSIVE USE	...	...	24	NA	21	NA
TENURE BY PERSONS PER ROOM						
1.00 OR LESS	...	...	2,221	1,742	674	489
1.01 TO 1.50	...	...	80	161	25	44
1.51 OR MORE	...	...	33	95	22	43

- TABLE 4.6 -
TENURE & OCCUPANCY STATUS BY STRUCTURAL CHARACTERISTICS: 1970 AND 1980
(DATA BASED ON SAMPLE)

ITEM	TOTAL YEAR-ROUND 1980	TOTAL YEAR-ROUND 1970	TOTAL OCCUPIED 1980	TOTAL OCCUPIED 1970	RENTER OCCUPIED 1980	RENTER OCCUPIED 1970
HOUSING UNITS	2,659	2,198	2,334	1,998	721	576
UNITS IN STRUCTURE						
1 UNIT	1,814	1,863	1,645	1,669	339	420
2 UNIT	74	63	61	57	36	37
3 AND 4 UNITS	72	58	61	58	53	42
5 OR MORE UNITS	356	76	266	76	230	71
*MOBILE HOMES OR TRAILERS, ETC.	343	138	301	138	63	6
STRUCTURES BY YEAR BUILT						
1979 TO MARCH 1980	107	...	101	...	32	...
1975 TO 1978	234	...	196	...	47	...
1970 TO 1974	318	...	297	...	133	...
1960 TO 1969	167	301	147	283	27	27
1950 TO 1959	469	410	444	392	79	90
1940 TO 1949	303	366	274	352	120	123
1939 OR EARLIER	1,061	1,121	875	971	283	336

NA NOT AVAILABLE.
... NOT APPLICABLE.

*VACANT MOBILE HOMES EXCLUDED IN 1970; INCLUDED IN 1980 IF INTENDED FOR OCCUPANCY WHERE THEY STAND.

SOURCE: TABLE 4.5 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF HOUSING: 1970 AND 1980, COMPUTER TAPES.
TABLE 4.6 IBID.

- TABLE 4.7 -
SPECIFIED OWNER-OCCUPIED NONCONDOMINIUM HOUSING UNITS BY VALUE: 1980
(WITH COMPLETE PLUMBING FACILITIES FOR EXCLUSIVE USE)

ITEM	TOTAL	RURAL AREA
*SPECIFIED OWNER-OCCUPIED	925	303
VALUE LESS THAN $10,000	72	40
$10,000 TO $14,999	55	25
$15,000 TO $19,999	104	49
$20,000 TO $24,999	122	38
$25,000 TO $29,999	97	28
$30,000 TO $34,999	78	22
$35,000 TO $39,999	76	21
$40,000 TO $49,999	115	31
$50,000 TO $64,999	123	28
$65,000 TO $79,999	58	11
$80,000 TO $99,999	15	5
$100,000 TO $149,999	10	5
$150,000 OR MORE	0	0
MEAN VALUE (DOL.)	35,042	30,730

- TABLE 4.8 -
SPECIFIED RENTER-OCCUPIED HOUSING UNITS BY GROSS MONTHLY RENT: 1980
(DATA BASED ON SAMPLE)

ITEM	TOTAL	RURAL AREA
**SPECIFIED RENTER-OCCUPIED	586	212
***GROSS RENT LESS THAN $60	14	6
$60 TO $119	85	35
$120 TO $169	178	27
$170 TO $199	77	29
$200 TO $249	88	14
$250 TO $299	32	9
$300 TO $399	20	0
$400 OR MORE	5	5
NO CASH RENT	87	87
MEDIAN GROSS RENT (DOL.)	162	151

NA NOT AVAILABLE.

*ONE-UNIT STRUCTURES ON LESS THAN 10 ACRES; EXCLUDES MOBILE HOMES & TRAILERS, & UNITS WITH AN OFFICE ON THE PROPERTY.
**ALL RENTER-OCCUPIED UNITS EXCEPT ONE-FAMILY HOMES ON A PROPERTY OF 10 OR MORE ACRES.
***CONTRACT RENT PLUS MONTHLY COST OF UTILITIES AND FUELS, IF THESE ITEMS ARE PAID FOR BY RENTER.

SOURCE: TABLE 4.7 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF HOUSING: 1980, COMPUTER TAPE.
TABLE 4.8 IBID.

- TABLE 4.9 -
MORTGAGE STATUS AND SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS*: 1980
(DATA BASED ON SAMPLE)

ITEM	TOTAL	RURAL AREA
**SPECIFIED OWNER-OCCUPIED NONCONDOMINIUM HOUSING UNITS	932	304
WITH A MORTGAGE	451	80
LESS THAN $100	4	4
$100 TO $149	19	8
$150 TO $199	91	14
$200 TO $249	82	12
$250 TO $299	83	14
$300 TO $399	95	24
$400 TO $499	46	0
$500 TO $599	25	4
$600 TO $749	6	0
$750 OR MORE	0	0
MEDIAN (DOL.)	268	257
NOT MORTGAGED	481	224
LESS THAN $50	11	6
$50 TO $74	53	34
$75 TO $99	134	77
$100 TO $124	126	54
$125 TO $149	69	36
$150 TO $199	73	11
$200 TO $249	7	3
$250 OR MORE	8	3
MEDIAN (DOL.)	108	99

NA NOT AVAILABLE.

* "SELECTED MONTHLY OWNER COSTS" IS THE SUM OF PAYMENTS FOR REAL ESTATE TAXES, PROPERTY INSURANCE, UTILITIES, AND REGULAR MORTGAGE PAYMENTS.

** ONE-UNIT STRUCTURES ON LESS THAN 10 ACRES; EXCLUDES MOBILE HOMES AND TRAILERS, AND UNITS WITH A COMMERCIAL OR MEDICAL OFFICE ON THE PROPERTY.

SOURCE: TABLE 4.9 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF HOUSING: 1980, COMPUTER TAPE.

- TABLE 4.10 -
OCCUPIED HOUSING UNITS BY TYPE OF FUEL USED: 1970 AND 1980
(DATA BASED ON SAMPLE)

ITEM	1980 TOTAL	1980 PERCENT DISTRIBUTION	1970 TOTAL	1970 PERCENT DISTRIBUTION
ALL OCCUPIED HOUSING UNITS	2,334	100.0	2,068	100.0
HOUSE HEATING FUEL				
*UTILITY GAS	1,470	63.0	1,371	66.3
BOTTLED, TANK, OR LP GAS	225	9.6	217	10.5
ELECTRICITY	242	10.4	65	3.1
FUEL OIL, KEROSENE, ETC.	302	12.9	315	15.2
COAL OR COKE	5	0.2	40	1.9
WOOD	90	3.9	60	2.9
OTHER FUEL	0	0.0	0	0.0
NO FUEL USED	0	0.0	0	0.0
WATER HEATING FUEL				
*UTILITY GAS	1,205	51.6	1,252	60.5
BOTTLED, TANK, OR LP GAS	123	5.3	121	5.9
ELECTRICITY	971	41.6	576	27.9
FUEL OIL, KEROSENE, ETC.	0	0.0	0	0.0
OTHER FUEL	0	0.0	0	0.0
NO FUEL USED	35	1.5	119	5.8
COOKING FUEL				
*UTILITY GAS	266	11.4	432	20.9
BOTTLED, TANK, OR LP GAS	80	3.4	118	5.7
ELECTRICITY	1,918	82.2	1,399	67.6
OTHER FUEL	18	0.8	119	5.8
NO FUEL USED	52	2.2	0	0.0

*UTILITY GAS INCLUDES "GAS FROM UNDERGROUND PIPES SERVING THE NEIGHBORHOOD."

SOURCE: TABLE 4.10 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF HOUSING: 1970 AND 1980, COMPUTER TAPES.

- TABLE 5.1 -
LABOR FORCE STATUS, PERSONS 16 YEARS AND OVER: 1970 AND 198D
(DATA BASED ON MARCH SAMPLE)

ITEM	TOTAL PERSONS AGE 16 AND OVER	LABOR FORCE	CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE: EMPLOYED	CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE: UNEMPLOYED: TOTAL	CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE: UNEMPLOYED: PERCENT OF CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE	FEMALES AGE 16 AND OVER	FEMALE LABOR FORCE	FEMALE CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE: EMPLOYED	FEMALE CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE: UNEMPLOYED: TOTAL	FEMALE CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE: UNEMPLOYED: PERCENT OF FEMALE CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE
1980										
MONTANA	585,375	362,656	328,316	29,530	8.1	296,136	145,076	134,784	9,919	6.9
PONDERA	4,856	3,064	2,875	189	6.2	2,444	1,174	1,094	8D	6.8
197D										
MONTANA	470,772	266,395	244,6D8	16,D41	6.2	237,723	91,669	85,337	6,241	6.8
PONDERA	4,346	2,492	2,412	8D	3.2	2,162	743	717	26	3.5

- TABLE 5.2 -
*DISABILITY STATUS, NONINSTITUTIONAL PERSONS 16 TO 64 YEARS: 1980
(DATA BASED ON SAMPLE)

ITEM	TOTAL PERSONS	WITH WORK DISABILITY: NOT IN LABOR FORCE: IN LABOR FORCE	WITH WORK DISABILITY: NOT IN LABOR FORCE: PREVENTED FROM WORKING	WITH WORK DISABILITY: NOT IN LABOR FORCE: NOT PREVENTED FROM WORKING	NO WORK DISABILITY	WITH PUBLIC TRANS-PORTATION DISABILITY	NO PUBLIC TRANS-PORTATION DISABILITY
MONTANA	497,946	19,022	16,115	5,378	457,431	5,080	492,866
PONDERA	3,965	167	87	21	3,690	28	3,937

*A SERIOUS "HEALTH" CONDITION THAT HAS LASTED FOR 6 MONTHS OR MORE.

SOURCE: TABLE 5.1 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF POPULATION: 1970 AND 1980, COMPUTER TAPES.
TABLE 5.2 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF POPULATION: 198D, COMPUTER TAPE.

- TABLE 5.3 -
OCCUPATIONS BY SELECTED CATEGORIES, EMPLOYED CIVILIAN PERSONS 16 YEARS AND OVER: 1980
(DATA BASED ON MARCH SAMPLE)

OCCUPATIONAL CATEGORY	TOTAL PERSONS	FEMALE PERSONS
ALL OCCUPATIONS	2,875	1,094
MANAGERIAL & PROFESSIONAL SPECIALTY:		
EXECUTIVE, ADMINISTRATIVE, & MANAGERIAL	233	47
PROFESSIONAL SPECIALTY	298	173
TECHNICAL, SALES, & ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT:		
TECHNICIANS & RELATED SUPPORT	26	22
SALES	258	117
ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT, INCLUDING CLERICAL	362	304
SERVICE:		
PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD	17	17
PROTECTIVE SERVICE	35	0
SERVICE, EXCEPT PROTECTIVE & HOUSEHOLD	436	311
FARMING, FORESTRY, & FISHING	657	72
PRECISION PRODUCTION, CRAFT, & REPAIR	273	2
OPERATORS, FABRICATORS, & LABORERS:		
MACHINE OPERATORS, ASSEMBLERS, & INSPECTORS	61	9
TRANSPORTATION & MATERIAL MOVING	124	11
HANDLERS, EQUIPMENT CLEANERS, HELPERS, & LABORERS	95	9

SOURCE: U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF POPULATION: 1980, COMPUTER TAPE.

- TABLE 5.4 -
INDUSTRY BY SELECTED CATEGORIES, EMPLOYED CIVILIAN PERSONS 16 YEARS AND OVER: 1980
(DATA BASED ON MARCH SAMPLE)

INDUSTRY ACTIVITY CATEGORY	TOTAL PERSONS	FEMALE PERSONS
ALL INDUSTRIES	2,875	1,094
AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY, FISHERIES, & MINING	787	105
CONSTRUCTION	187	18
MANUFACTURING:		
NONDURABLE GOODS	32	14
DURABLE GOODS	34	5
TRANSPORTATION	123	8
COMMUNICATIONS & OTHER PUBLIC UTILITIES	70	0
WHOLESALE TRADE	123	21
RETAIL TRADE	499	299
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE	76	49
SERVICES:		
BUSINESS & REPAIR SERVICES	47	14
PERSONAL, ENTERTAINMENT & RECREATION SERVICES	57	48
PROFESSIONAL & RELATED SERVICES:		
HEALTH SERVICES, INCLUDING HOSPITALS	248	182
EDUCATIONAL SERVICES	284	179
OTHER PROFESSIONAL & RELATED SERVICES	98	44
PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION	210	108

SOURCE: U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF POPULATION: 1980, COMPUTER TAPE.

- TABLE 5.5 -
ANNUAL AVERAGE ESTIMATES OF THE CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE AND UNEMPLOYMENT RATES: 1976 TO 1984

YEAR	*LABOR FORCE TOTAL	UNEMPLOYED TOTAL	**UNEMPLOYMENT RATES COUNTY	MONTANA	U.S.
1984	3,532	206	5.8	7.4	7.5
1983	3,459	218	6.3	8.8	9.6
1982	3,642	196	5.4	8.6	9.7
1981	3,576	118	3.3	6.9	7.6
1980	3,487	145	4.2	6.1	7.1
1979	3,518	130	3.7	5.1	5.8
1978	3,524	153	4.3	6.2	6.1
1977	3,425	185	5.4	6.4	7.1
1976	3,268	140	4.3	6.1	7.7

*PERSONS 16 YEARS AND OLDER, DEFINED AS EMPLOYED OR UNEMPLOYED, EXCLUDING MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES, INCLUDING SELF-EMPLOYED, UNPAID FAMILY WORKERS, AND DOMESTIC WORKERS.

**ANNUAL AVERAGE EXPRESSED AS A PERCENTAGE OF THE CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE.

SOURCE: MONTANA DEPT OF LABOR & INDUSTRY, RESEARCH & ANALYSIS BUR, MONTANA EMPLOYMENT AND LABOR FORCE, QUARTERLY REPORT, 1ST QTR. 1985 AND U.S. DEPT OF LABOR, BUR OF LABOR STATISTICS, EMPLOYMENT AND EARNINGS, OCTOBER 1985.

- TABLE 5.6 -
FEMALES, AGE 16 AND OVER WITH OWN CHILDREN, BY LABOR FORCE STATUS
AND BY AGE OF CHILDREN: 1970 AND 1980
(DATA BASED ON SAMPLE)

ITEM	TOTAL FEMALES, AGE 16 & OVER WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS	PERCENT IN LABOR FORCE	WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS: TOTAL	WITH OWN CHILDREN UNDER 6 YEARS: PERCENT IN LABOR FORCE	WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY: TOTAL	WITH OWN CHILDREN 6 TO 17 YEARS ONLY: PERCENT IN LABOR FORCE
1980						
MONTANA	110,590	54.4	53,038	44.6	57,552	63.4
PONDERA	921	53.2	451	50.1	470	56.2
1970						
MONTANA	97,723	39.9	46,586	30.8	51,137	48.2
PONDERA	946	36.4	436	35.1	510	37.5

- TABLE 5.7 -
WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT, PERCENT CHANGE FROM PREVIOUS YEAR: 1973 - 1983

ITEM	1983	1982	1981	1980	1979	1978	1977	1976	1975	1974	1973	1973-83
MONTANA	0.9	-2.0	-0.8	-1.4	2.3	5.6	3.4	3.8	0.5	4.0	4.1	16.9
PONDERA	2.3	-3.2	-0.8	-2.2	2.7	6.0	4.2	10.3	3.1	-1.8	-1.1	21.5

SOURCE: TABLE 5.6 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF POPULATION: 1970 & 1980, COMPUTER TAPES.
TABLE 5.7 BUR OF ECONOMIC ANALYSIS, U.S. DEPT OF COMMERCE, REGIONAL ECONOMIC INFORMATION SYSTEM, COMPUTER TAPE, DERIVED.

- TABLE 5.8 -
EMPLOYMENT BY TYPE AND BROAD INDUSTRIAL SOURCES: 1978 - 1983
(FULL AND PART-TIME WAGE AND SALARY JOBS PLUS NUMBER OF PROPRIETORS)

ITEM	1983	1982	1981	1980	1979	1978
TOTAL EMPLOYMENT BY PLACE OF WORK	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
WAGE & SALARY EMPLOYMENT	2,178	2,128	2,198	2,216	2,267	2,208
PROPRIETORS' EMPLOYMENT	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
FARM	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
NON-FARM	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
WAGE & SALARY EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY						
FARM	213	225	212	246	259	218
NON-FARM	1,965	1,903	1,986	1,970	2,008	1,990
PRIVATE	1,506	1,444	1,538	1,503	1,529	1,494
AGRICULTURAL SERVICES, FORESTRY, FISHERIES, AND OTHER	36	37	38	34	37	37
MINING	23	24	34	42	28	29
CONSTRUCTION	116	101	114	96	109	100
MANUFACTURING	58	52	57	42	56	44
NON-DURABLE GOODS	21	22	15	15	14	(D)
DURABLE GOODS	37	30	42	27	42	(D)
TRANSPORTATION & PUBLIC UTILITIES	84	85	116	131	119	90
WHOLESALE TRADE	277	255	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
RETAIL TRADE	354	357	376	387	400	399
FINANCE, INSURANCE, & REAL ESTATE	95	91	95	87	87	117
SERVICES	463	442	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
GOVERNMENT & GOVERNMENT ENTERPRISES	459	459	448	467	479	496
FEDERAL, CIVILIAN	44	43	38	37	37	37
FEDERAL, MILITARY	36	31	31	40	42	42
STATE AND LOCAL	379	385	379	390	400	417

NA NOT AVAILABLE BECAUSE THE SERIES ARE UNDERGOING REVISIONS.

(D) NOT SHOWN TO AVOID DISCLOSURE OF CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION. DATA ARE INCLUDED IN TOTALS
(L) LESS THAN 10 WAGE AND SALARY JOBS.

SOURCE: BUREAU OF ECONOMIC ANALYSIS, U.S. DEPT OF COMMERCE, REGIONAL ECONOMIC INFORMATION SYSTEM, COMPUTER TAPE.

- TABLE 6.1 -
FAMILIES BY INCOME IN 1959, 1969, AND 1979
(DATA BASED ON SAMPLE)

ITEM	ALL FAMILIES	LESS THAN $5,000	$5,000-$9,999	$10,000-$14,999	$15,000-$24,999	$25,000-$49,999	$50,000 AND OVER	MEDIAN FAMILY INCOME (DOL.)	COUNTY RANK
1979									
MONTANA	207,525	14,918	29,746	34,648	67,706	52,802	7,705	18,413	...
PONDERA	1,830	157	224	280	637	449	83	19,486	9
1969									
MONTANA	171,812	37,870	67,867	42,564	18,440	4,159	912	8,512	...
PONDERA	1,659	458	666	316	168	51	0	7,693	32
1959									
MONTANA	165,777	73,467	73,260	13,790	4,008	1,252*	NA	5,403	...
PONDERA	1,765	865	650	173	73	4*	NA	5,078	24
PERCENT									
1979									
MONTANA	100.0	7.2	14.3	16.7	32.6	25.4	3.7	...	...
PONDERA	100.0	8.6	12.2	15.3	34.8	24.5	4.5	...	...
1969									
MONTANA	100.0	22.0	39.5	24.8	10.7	2.4	0.5	...	...
PONDERA	100.0	27.6	40.1	19.0	10.1	3.1	0.0	...	...
1959									
MONTANA	100.0	44.3	44.2	8.3	2.4	0.8*	NA	...	...
PONDERA	100.0	49.0	36.8	9.8	4.1	0.2*	NA	...	...

NA NOT AVAILABLE.
... NOT APPLICABLE.

*TABULATED AS $25,000 OR MORE IN 1959.

SOURCE: U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF POPULATION: 1970 AND 1980, COMPUTER TAPES; 1960, V.1, PT. 28.

- TABLE 6.2 -
LOW INCOME STATUS OF FAMILIES AND PERSONS: 1969 AND 1979
(DATA BASED ON SAMPLE)

ITEM	FAMILIES ALL INCOME LEVELS	FAMILIES BELOW POVERTY LEVEL: TOTAL	WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER AGE 6	WITH RELATED CHILDREN UNDER AGE 18	PERCENT WITH FEMALE HOUSEHOLDER NO HUSBAND PRESENT	*PERSONS FOR WHOM POVERTY STATUS IS DETERMINED: ALL AGES ALL INCOME LEVELS	PERCENT BELOW POVERTY LEVEL	PERCENT BELOW 125 PERCENT OF POVERTY LEVEL	AGE 65 YEARS AND OVER: TOTAL ALL INCOME LEVELS	PERCENT BELOW POVERTY LEVEL
1979										
MONTANA	207,525	19,019	8,306	13,854	31.9	767,251	12.3	17.5	79,187	14.4
PONDERA	1,830	197	86	126	24.4	6,633	13.9	18.1	819	22.3
1969										
MONTANA	171,812	17,821	6,331	11,600	27.5	673,934	13.6	19.6	64,958	27.5
PONDERA	1,659	236	73	186	22.0	6,554	18.2	25.8	622	29.6

- TABLE 6.3 -
HOUSEHOLDS WITH INCOME IN 1979 BY INCOME TYPE
(DATA BASED ON SAMPLE)

ITEM	HOUSEHOLDS ALL INCOME LEVELS	MEAN INCOME (DOL.)	**WITH EARNINGS	MEAN (DOL.)	WITH INTEREST, DIVIDEND, OR NET RENTAL INCOME	MEAN (DOL.)	WITH SOCIAL SECURITY	MEAN (DOL.)	WITH PUBLIC ASSISTANCE	MEAN (DOL.)	WITH ALL OTHER INCOME	MEAN (DOL.)
MONTANA	285,034	17,994	238,920	17,759	113,770	2,822	71,133	4,013	14,256	2,120	68,608	3,633
PONDERA	2,379	18,916	2,036	18,508	1,076	3,583	543	3,964	119	1,782	536	2,052

*EXCLUDES INMATES OF INSTITUTIONS, MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES LIVING IN BARRACKS OR ON MILITARY SHIPS, COLLEGE STUDENTS LIVING IN DORMITORIES, AND UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS UNDER 15 YEARS (1980), 14 YEARS (1970); "UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS" INCLUDE NONRELATIVES IN FAMILY HOUSEHOLDS, PERSONS IN NONFAMILY HOUSEHOLDS, AND NONINMATES IN GROUP QUARTERS.

**INCLUDES WAGE AND SALARY, NONFARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT, AND FARM SELF-EMPLOYMENT EARNINGS.

SOURCE: TABLE 6.2 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF POPULATION: 1970 AND 1980, COMPUTER TAPES.
TABLE 6.3 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF POPULATION: 1980, COMPUTER TAPE.

- TABLE 6.4 -
*PERSONAL INCOME BY MAJOR SOURCES: 1978 - 1983
(THOUSANDS OF CURRENT DOLLARS)

ITEM	1983	1982	1981	1980	1979	1978
EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK	39,568	38,259	38,984	31,683	26,691	33,450
COMPONENTS OF EARNINGS						
WAGES AND SALARIES	27,970	26,688	25,173	23,462	21,810	19,257
OTHER LABOR INCOME	2,362	2,050	1,816	1,616	1,501	1,352
PROPRIETORS' INCOME	9,236	9,521	11,995	6,605	3,380	12,841
FARM	6,135	6,323	8,703	2,430	-1,219	8,507
NONFARM	3,101	3,198	3,292	4,175	4,599	4,334
EARNINGS BY INDUSTRY						
FARM	10,761	10,993	12,719	6,559	2,598	11,491
NONFARM	28,807	27,266	26,265	25,124	24,093	21,959
PRIVATE	22,405	21,376	20,857	20,153	19,488	17,607
AGRICULTURAL SERVICES, FORESTRY, FISHERIES, AND OTHER	294	296	269	202	196	197
MINING	845	1,427	1,248	1,649	1,328	624
CONSTRUCTION	2,235	1,929	1,992	1,682	1,721	1,575
MANUFACTURING	850	756	744	546	727	531
NON-DURABLE GOODS	(D)	299	176	166	167	(D)
DURABLE GOODS	(D)	457	568	380	560	(D)
TRANSPORTATION & OTHER PUBLIC UTILITIES	1,920	1,837	1,980	2,113	2,011	1,573
WHOLESALE TRADE	4,749	4,619	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
RETAIL TRADE	4,068	3,953	3,941	4,005	3,961	3,792
FINANCE, INSURANCE, & REAL ESTATE	1,549	1,382	1,365	1,315	1,192	1,257
SERVICES	5,895	5,177	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
GOVERNMENT & GOVERNMENT ENTERPRISES	6,402	5,890	5,408	4,971	4,605	4,352
FEDERAL, CIVILIAN	802	750	703	631	557	531
FEDERAL, MILITARY	162	123	108	116	104	99
STATE AND LOCAL	5,438	5,017	4,597	4,224	3,944	3,722
**NET EARNINGS BY PLACE OF RESIDENCE	43,010	42,127	42,508	35,055	29,640	36,049
DIVIDENDS, INTEREST, AND RENT	22,520	21,909	19,240	14,935	12,079	10,694
TRANSFER PAYMENTS	11,052	10,297	9,043	7,743	6,791	6,173
TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME BY PLACE OF RESIDENCE	76,582	74,333	70,791	57,733	48,510	52,876
PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME (DOLLARS)	10,973	10,847	10,613	8,603	7,058	7,616

(D) NOT SHOWN TO AVOID DISCLOSURE OF CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION. (L) LESS THAN $50,000. DATA ARE INCLUDED IN TOTALS.
*CURRENT INCOME FROM ALL SOURCES; MEASURED AFTER DEDUCTION OF PERSONAL CONTRIBUTIONS TO SOCIAL SECURITY, GOVT. RETIREMENT, AND OTHER SOCIAL INSURANCE PROGRAMS BUT BEFORE DEDUCTION OF INCOME AND OTHER PERSONAL TAXES.
**TOTAL EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK, LESS PERSONAL CONTRIBUTIONS FOR SOCIAL INSURANCE, PLUS ADJUSTMENT FOR RESIDENCE.

SOURCE: BUREAU OF ECONOMIC ANALYSIS, U.S. DEPT. OF COMMERCE, REGIONAL ECONOMIC INFORMATION SYSTEM, COMPUTER TAPE.

- TABLE 6.5 -
*PERSONAL INCOME BY PLACE OF RESIDENCE: 1978 - 1983
(THOUSANDS OF CONSTANT 1983 DOLLARS)

ITEM	1983	1982	1981	1980	1979	1978
MONTANA	8,120,581	8,026,560	8,087,078	7,839,789	7,826,915	7,866,561
PONDERA	76,582	77,075	77,742	68,892	63,764	75,749

- TABLE 6.6 -
*PERSONAL INCOME IN SELECTED YEARS (CONSTANT DOLLARS); PERCENT CHANGE FROM PREVIOUS YEAR: 1973 - 1983

ITEM	1983	1982	1981	1980	1979	1978	1977	1976	1975	1974	1973	1973-83
MONTANA	1.2	-0.7	3.2	0.2	-0.5	8.0	2.8	2.4	0.7	-1.8	11.4	16.0
PONDERA	-0.6	-0.9	12.8	8.0	-15.8	13.0	-19.8	-0.6	32.7	-18.0	8.7	-1.0

- TABLE 6.7 -
PERSONAL INCOME IN SELECTED YEARS (CURRENT DOLLARS); PERCENT CHANGE FROM PREVIOUS YEAR: 1973 - 1983

ITEM	1983	1982	1981	1980	1979	1978	1977	1976	1975	1974	1973	1973-83
MONTANA	4.9	5.1	12.1	10.3	8.4	15.5	8.7	7.7	8.3	8.2	17.7	134.5
PONDERA	3.0	5.0	22.6	19.0	-8.3	20.9	-15.2	4.4	42.8	-9.7	14.9	100.0

- TABLE 6.8 -
PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME, PERCENT OF NATIONAL AVERAGE: 1973 - 1983

ITEM	1983	1982	1981	1980	1979	1978	1977	1976	1975	1974	1973
MONTANA	85.1	86.5	87.8	87.8	87.2	90.1	88.2	90.5	92.8	93.3	95.0
PONDERA	93.9	97.6	100.7	90.6	81.6	98.0	85.8	120.1	126.7	96.7	109.5

*DATA FROM TABLE 6.4 DEFLATED, USING NATIONAL IMPLICIT PRICE DEFLATOR FOR PERSONAL CONSUMPTION EXPENDITURES (INDEX, 1983 = 100), DERIVED FROM INDICES PUBLISHED MONTHLY IN SURVEY OF CURRENT BUSINESS, U.S. DEPT. OF COMMERCE.

SOURCE: BUR OF ECONOMIC ANALYSIS, U.S. DEPT. OF COMMERCE, REGIONAL ECONOMIC INFORMATION SYS, COMPUTER TAPE, DERIVED.

- TABLE 7.1 -
SELECTED LOCAL GOVERNMENTAL FINANCES FOR COUNTY AREA: FISCAL YEAR 1982

ITEM	THOUSANDS OF CURRENT DOLLARS	PERCENT CHANGE 1977 TO 1982	*PER CAPITA (DOLLARS)
GENERAL REVENUE, EXCLUDING INTERLOCAL	10,405	54.4	1,546
INTERGOVERNMENTAL REVENUE	3,052	28.0	453
FROM FEDERAL GOVERNMENT	898	76.4	133
FROM STATE GOVERNMENT	2,154	14.9	320
FROM LOCAL SOURCES	7,353	68.9	1,092
TAXES	4,413	70.6	656
PROPERTY	4,326	73.7	643
CHARGES AND MISCELLANEOUS	2,940	66.4	437
DIRECT GENERAL EXPENDITURE	10,464	64.1	1,555
CAPITAL OUTLAY	1,308	95.8	194
OTHER	9,156	60.4	1,360
EDUCATION SERVICES	5,643	74.0	838
SOCIAL SERVICES & INCOME MAINTENANCE:			
PUBLIC WELFARE	85	193.1	13
HOSPITAL AND HEALTH	1,982	38.8	294
HIGHWAY AND OTHER TRANSPORTATION	787	92.9	117
PUBLIC SAFETY:			
POLICE AND FIRE PROTECTION	313	74.9	47
OTHER	20	17.6	3
ENVIRONMENT AND HOUSING:			
SEWERAGE AND OTHER SANITATION	103	1,044.4	15
NATURAL RESOURCES, PARKS & RECREATION	137	149.1	20
HOUSING & URBAN RENEWAL	0	...	0
GOVERNMENTAL ADMINISTRATION:			
GENERAL CONTROL	114	-62.0	17
OTHER	262	197.7	39
INTEREST ON GENERAL DEBT	224	522.2	33
OTHER AND UNALLOCABLE	794	36.0	118
UTILITY REVENUE	330	81.3	49
UTILITY EXPENDITURE	328	-28.2	49
PAYMENTS TO STATE GOVERNMENT	NA	NA	NA
GENERAL DEBT OUTSTANDING	4,836	165.6	718
LONG-TERM	4,836	165.6	718
LOCAL SCHOOLS	1,458	26.7	217
OTHER	970	44.8	144

NA NOT AVAILABLE; ... NOT APPLICABLE.
*BASED ON POPULATION ESTIMATES AS OF JULY 1, 1982.

SOURCE: U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF GOVERNMENTS, 1977, 1982. COMPENDIUM OF GOVERNMENT FINANCES.

- TABLE 7.2 -
FEDERAL FUNDS DISTRIBUTED BY SELECTED EXECUTIVE BRANCH AGENCIES: FISCAL YEARS 1983 AND 1984
(DOLLAR AMOUNTS IN THOUSANDS)

ITEM	1984 MONTANA TOTAL	1984 COUNTY AMT.	1984 COUNTY RANK	1983 MONTANA TOTAL	1983 COUNTY AMT.
TOTAL FEDERAL FUNDS	3,263,918	35,109	26	3,561,705	51,947
SALARIES & WAGES	393,874	1,154	35	366,696	744
PROCUREMENT CONTRACTS	164,091	569	29	137,686	552
INDIVIDUAL DIRECT PMTS. RETIRE. & DISABIL.	846,764	6,669	29	807,413	6,434
OTHER INDIVIDUAL DIRECT PAYMENTS	241,021	2,118	30	249,358	1,712
NON-INDIVIDUAL DIRECT PAYMENTS	189,883	6,497	7	156,690	7,061
GRANTS	504,873	2,543	30	503,255	795
DIRECT LOANS	121,140	5,548	5	249,148	11,970
GUARANTEED/INSURED LOANS	345,122	1,759	31	339,596	2,196
INSURANCE	457,150	8,251	15	751,905	20,483
AGRICULTURE	823,487	21,674	12	1,235,004	41,336
COMMERCE	708	0	...	699	0
DEFENSE	247,060	196	37	243,883	328
EDUCATION	107,457	532	18	94,182	606
ENERGY	4,823	0	...	2,313	-3
HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES	896,959	8,137	28	865,579	7,092
HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT	215,617	204	39	145,961	241
INTERIOR	53,718	0	...	37,273	0
JUSTICE	264	0	...	74	0
LABOR	35,507	0	...	41,388	0
TRANSPORTATION	114,478	1,101	24	147,419	0
TREASURY	24,171	203	29	23,437	207
ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY	18,268	0	...	18,808	0
POSTAL SERVICE	91,946	1,082	21	62,725	560
VETERANS ADMINISTRATION	77,655	420	33	91,910	522
OTHER	482,939	1,173	40	468,376	1,059

...NOT APPLICABLE.

SOURCE: U.S. BUREAU OF THE CENSUS, CONSOLIDATED FEDERAL FUNDS REPORTS, COMPUTER TAPES, FY 1983 AND FY 1984.

- TABLE 7.3 -
PAYMENTS TO LOCAL GOVERNMENTS ELIGIBLE FOR REVENUE SHARING, AUTHORIZED UNDER THE REVENUE SHARING ACT OF 1972 AS AMENDED: FY 1984 AND FY 1985

ITEM	ALL COUNTIES (DOLLARS)	COUNTY TOTAL (DOLLARS)	COUNTY GOVERNMENT (DOLLARS)	MUNICIPALITIES (DOLLARS)	INDIAN TRIBES (DOLLARS)*
FY 1985	15,058,269	137,023	110,043	26,980	0
FY 1984	19,984,364	199,483	153,169	46,314	0

- TABLE 7.4 -
PROPERTY TAX BASE, COMPONENT PERCENTAGES: 1980 - 1984

ITEM	TOTAL TAXABLE VALUE (THOUS DOLS)	PER-CENT	LAND AND IMPROVEMENTS (PERCENT)	PERSONAL PROPERTY EXCEPT LIVESTOCK (PERCENT)	LIVESTOCK (PERCENT)	NET PROCEEDS, ROYALTIES, AND GROSS PROCEEDS (PERCENT)	UTILITIES (PERCENT)
1984							
MONTANA	2,330,883	100.0	33.6	15.2	1.2	31.3	18.6
PONDERA	25,177	100.0	38.4	18.2	1.3	33.2	8.9
1983							
MONTANA	2,233,385	100.0	34.1	14.4	1.3	33.2	17.0
PONDERA	23,912	100.0	39.9	17.7	1.4	32.7	8.3
1982							
MONTANA	2,204,492	100.0	33.6	16.0	1.4	34.1	14.9
PONDERA	23,698	100.0	40.1	19.4	1.5	29.9	9.1
1981							
MONTANA	2,020,631	100.0	36.9	23.3	1.7	27.1	11.0
PONDERA	23,989	100.0	39.5	22.8	1.5	27.9	8.3
1980							
MONTANA	1,845,009	100.0	38.9	27.6	4.5	22.1	11.4
PONDERA	21,851	100.0	42.4	26.3	3.9	23.5	7.9

*PRORATED BY RESERVATION INDIAN POPULATION AS OF APRIL 1980.

SOURCE: TABLE 7.3 U.S. DEPT. OF THE TREASURY, OFFICE OF REVENUE SHARING, UNPUBLISHED INFORMATION.
TABLE 7.4 MONTANA DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, BIENNIAL REPORTS (DERIVED).

- TABLE 7.5 -
PROPERTY TAXES LEVIED FOR ALL PURPOSES: 1980 - 1984

ITEM		1984	1983	1982	1981	1980
TOTAL LEVIED FOR STATE PURPOSES	(DOLLARS)	173,933	160,917	163,064	158,698	155,302
UNIVERSITY MILLAGE		150,844	140,350	142,170	139,880	124,342
LIVESTOCK		23,089	20,567	20,894	18,818	28,464
TOTAL LEVIED FOR COUNTY PURPOSES	(DOLLARS)	1,511,695	1,394,256	1,213,788	1,182,434	1,201,613
GENERAL FUND		548,104	516,355	409,130	430,500	460,000
ROAD FUND		326,190	307,612	300,581	281,014	273,315
BRIDGE FUND		100,722	95,195	94,781	93,842	87,411
POOR FUND		201,445	186,030	121,742	129,033	128,928
BOND INTEREST AND SINKING		0	0	57,189	61,369	63,516
COUNTY FAIR		2,501	2,055	711	704	731
COUNTY LIBRARY		50,070	43,549	43,074	38,970	37,567
AGRICULTURAL EXTENSION SERVICE		0	0	0	0	0
HOSPITAL		57,745	52,655	0	0	0
PLANNING		0	0	0	0	0
HEALTH AND SANITARY		0	0	0	0	0
AIRPORT		0	0	0	0	4,994
OTHER		224,918	190,805	186,580	147,002	145,151
TOTAL LEVIED FOR SCHOOL PURPOSES	(DOLLARS)	3,486,013	3,173,917	2,330,656	2,387,162	2,085,211
ELEMENTARY COUNTY-WIDE		2,058,775	1,932,562	872,099	875,317	776,427
HIGH SCHOOL COUNTY-WIDE		1,427,238	1,241,355	577,027	566,747	509,237
TOTAL LEVIED FOR DISTRICTS AND MISC	(DOLLARS)	478,090	456,803	704,670	752,247	668,973
FIRE DISTRICT (INCLUDING FOREST FIRES)		29,356	26,972	16,077	18,087	13,266
MISCELLANEOUS		118,511	86,148	107,702	83,575	92,824
TOTAL LEVIED FOR CITIES AND TOWNS	(DOLLARS)	633,413	582,111	622,170	568,753	535,123
GENERAL		324,528	307,490	317,749	301,899	273,254
SPECIAL IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT		308,885	274,621	304,421	266,854	261,869
GRAND TOTAL, ALL TAXES FOR ALL PURPOSES	(DOLLARS)	5,952,921	5,424,321	5,034,348	5,049,294	4,646,222

SOURCE: MONTANA DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, BIENNIAL REPORTS.

- TABLE 8.1 -
SOCIAL SECURITY BENEFITS: DECEMBER 1980 AND DECEMBER 1984

	- BENEFICIARIES BY TYPE -				- AMOUNT OF MONTHLY CASH BENEFITS PAID -				
	TOTAL	RETIRED WORKER	DISABLED WORKER	WIDOW, WIDOWER, OR PARENT	CHILDREN AND/OR SPOUSE	TOTAL ($1,000)	RETIRED WORKER ($1,000)	DISABLED WORKER ($1,000)	WIDOW, WIDOWER, OR PARENT ($1,000)	CHILDREN AND/OR SPOUSE ($1,000)
DEC 1984										
MONTANA	124,067	74,331	7,903	16,891	24,942	50,275	33,447	3,749	6,947	6,129
PONDERA	1,156	690	55	175	236	479	321	23	78	53
DEC 1980										
MONTANA	119,496	66,397	8,565	16,025	28,509	35,483	22,101	3,219	4,888	5,275
PONDERA	1,121	674	58	150	239	346	230	21	49	46

- TABLE 8.2 -
*HEALTH INSURANCE FOR THE AGED AND DISABLED (MEDICARE): 1982 AND 1983

	- NUMBER OF PERSONS ENROLLED (JULY 1) -			- AMOUNT REIMBURSED (CALENDAR YEAR) -		
	HOSPITAL AND/OR MEDICAL INSURANCE	HOSPITAL INSURANCE	SUPPLEMENTARY MEDICAL INSURANCE	HOSPITAL AND/OR MEDICAL INSURANCE (DOLLARS)	HOSPITAL INSURANCE (DOLLARS)	SUPPLEMENTARY MEDICAL INSURANCE (DOLLARS)
1983						
MONTANA	101,310	100,513	98,839	156,474,304	108,956,141	47,518,163
PONDERA	1,015	1,004	996	1,606,873	1,211,015	395,858
1982						
MONTANA	98,805	98,033	96,204	131,079,910	91,198,483	39,881,427
PONDERA	992	983	966	1,535,234	1,177,970	357,264

*DATA FOR WHICH COUNTY IS KNOWN; DATA FOR "UNKNOWN" COUNTIES INCLUDED IN STATE TOTALS.

SOURCE: TABLE 8.1 SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION, U.S. DEPT. OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES (FORMERLY HEW), UNPUBLISHED INFORMATION.
TABLE 8.2 HEALTH CARE FINANCING ADMINISTRATION, U.S. DEPT. OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, MEDICARE: REIMBURSEMENT BY STATE AND COUNTY, UNPUBLISHED INFORMATION.

- TABLE 8.3 -
SELECTED PUBLIC ASSISTANCE AND MEDICAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS:
FISCAL YEARS 1980 - 1984*

	PUBLIC ASSISTANCE ***ALL PROGRAMS TOTAL PAYMENTS (DOLLARS)	****AFDC TOTAL PAYMENTS (DOL.)	****AFDC AVERAGE PAYMENT (DOL.)	MEDICAID TOTAL PAYMENTS (DOL.)	MEDICAID AVERAGE PAYMENT (DOL.)	FOOD STAMP TOTAL PAYMENTS (DOL.)	FOOD STAMP AVERAGE PAYMENT (DOL.)
1984							
**MONTANA	150,584,797	26,135,197	305	88,843,343	413	28,623,754	116
PONDERA	1,292,108	245,920	276	731,804	448	308,796	136
1983							
**MONTANA	140,804,651	22,412,613	295	85,243,667	405	26,734,171	114
PONDERA	1,039,950	200,058	256	573,367	359	258,411	128
1982							
**MONTANA	125,831,126	18,455,938	253	74,837,496	334	23,322,187	110
PONDERA	949,415	176,114	203	512,888	324	242,190	117
1981							
**MONTANA	119,810,331	18,950,287	223	70,912,909	299	21,869,547	105
PONDERA	866,768	176,406	178	406,396	234	221,590	106
1980							
**MONTANA	NA	17,065,588	219	58,042,758	278	16,703,532	95
PONDERA	NA	167,915	181	341,201	234	187,008	100

NA NOT AVAILABLE. ...NOT APPLICABLE.

*AVERAGE PAYMENT IS MONTHLY.

**STATE DATA INCLUDES INSTITUTIONS AND UNSPECIFIED COUNTIES.
***PROGRAMS NOT SHOWN INCLUDE GENERAL ASSISTANCE, COUNTY MEDICAL, BURIALS, AND FOSTER CARE, EXCEPT 1983 AND 1984 DATA DOES NOT INCLUDE FOSTER CARE. TRANSIENT RELIEF IS EXCLUDED.
****AID TO FAMILIES WITH DEPENDENT CHILDREN.

SOURCE: MONT. DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL AND REHABILITATION SERVICES, BUREAU OF STATISTICS AND RESEARCH, STATISTICAL REPORTS, STATE FISCAL YEARS 1980 THROUGH 1984 AND SOME UNPUBLISHED.

- TABLE 8.4 -
OLD-AGE, SURVIVORS, DISABILITY, AND HEALTH INSURANCE BENEFICIARIES BY TYPE, AGE, AND SEX OF BENEFICIARIES: END OF DECEMBER 1980, 1982, 1983, AND 1984*

SOCIAL SECURITY BENEFICIARIES	END OF DEC. 1984	END OF DEC. 1983	END OF DEC. 1982	END OF DEC. 1980
TOTAL BENEFICIARIES IN CURRENT PAYMENT STATUS	1,156	1,145	1,160	1,121
RETIRED WORKERS	690	689	690	674
DISABLED WORKERS	55	55	54	58
SPOUSES OF RETIRED OR DISABLED WORKERS	161	162	164	169
CHILDREN OF RETIRED, DISABLED, OR DECEASED WORKERS	75	75	82	70
WIDOWS, WIDOWERS, OR PARENTS	175	164	170	150
BENEFICIARIES BY AGE GROUP				
UNDER AGE 62	140	137	150	NA
AGE 62 AND OVER**	1,016	1,008	1,010	984
MALE	437	444	450	438
FEMALE	579	564	560	546

NA NOT AVAILABLE.

*1981 UNAVAILABLE.

**AGE/SEX DATA AVAILABLE FOR PERSONS AGE 62 AND OVER ONLY.

SOURCE: SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION, U.S. DEPT. OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES (FORMERLY HEW), UNPUBLISHED INFORMATION.

- TABLE 8.5 -
OLD-AGE, SURVIVORS, DISABILITY, AND HEALTH INSURANCE MONTHLY CASH BENEFITS BY TYPE, AGE, AND SEX OF BENEFICIARIES: END OF DECEMBER 1980, 1982, 1983, 1984*

ITEM	END OF DEC. 1984 ($1,000)	END OF DEC. 1983 ($1,000)	END OF DEC. 1982 ($1,000)	END OF DEC. 1980 ($1,000)
TOTAL MONTHLY CASH BENEFITS PAID	479	456	436	346
RETIRED WORKERS	321	306	292	230
DISABLED WORKERS	23	24	22	21
SPOUSES OF RETIRED OR DISABLED WORKERS	38	36	35	31
CHILDREN OF RETIRED, DISABLED, OR DECEASED WORKERS	15	16	15	15
WIDOWS, WIDOWERS, OR PARENTS	78	71	68	49
MONTHLY CASH BENEFITS BY BENEFICIARY AGE GROUP				
UNDER AGE 62	40	41	41	NA
AGE 62 AND OVER**	439	415	395	309
MALE	227	218	210	164
FEMALE	212	197	185	145

NA NOT AVAILABLE.
*1981 UNAVAILABLE.

**AGE/SEX DATA AVAILABLE FOR PERSONS AGE 62 AND OVER ONLY.

SOURCE: SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION, U.S. DEPT. OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES (FORMERLY HEW), UNPUBLISHED INFORMATION.

- TABLE 8.6 -
*ENROLLMENT AND REIMBURSEMENT FOR HOSPITAL AND MEDICAL INSURANCE (MEDICARE), PERSONS AGE 65 AND OVER, AND DISABLED BENEFICIARIES: 1978 - 1983

ITEM	HOSPITAL AND/OR MEDICAL INSURANCE: NUMBER ENROLLED (JULY 1)	HOSPITAL: AMOUNT REIMBURSED (DOLLARS)	NUMBER ENROLLED (JULY 1)	HOSPITAL: AMOUNT REIMBURSED (DOLLARS)	SUPPLEMENTAL MEDICAL INSURANCE: NUMBER ENROLLED (JULY 1)	AMOUNT REIMBURSED (DOLLARS)
PERSONS AGE 65 AND OVER						
CALENDAR YEAR 1983	959	1,511,310	948	1,146,257	943	365,053
1982	932	1,434,860	923	1,113,678	910	321,182
1981	921	1,218,253	911	934,878	898	283,375
1980	909	879,354	898	690,705	885	188,649
1979	868	752,974	855	566,822	843	186,152
1978	861	750,874	851	586,112	842	164,762
DISABILITY BENEFICIARIES						
CALENDAR YEAR 1983	56	95,563	56	64,758	53	30,805
1982	60	100,374	60	64,292	56	36,082
1981	62	46,698	62	33,905	59	12,793
1980	58	65,265	58	47,344	56	17,921
1979	56	69,683	56	56,157	55	13,526
1978	64	43,871	64	34,783	63	9,088

- TABLE 8.7 -
**SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME PROGRAM: DECEMBER 1981 - 1983

	RECIPIENTS: TOTAL	AGED	BLIND AND DISABLED	PAYMENTS FOR MONTH (IN THOUSANDS): TOTAL	AGED	BLIND AND DISABLED
DECEMBER 1983	54	22	32	12	4	8
DECEMBER 1982	52	20	32	9	2	7
DECEMBER 1981	56	20	36	10	2	8

*DATA FOR WHICH COUNTY IS KNOWN; DATA FOR "UNKNOWN" COUNTIES INCLUDED IN STATE TOTALS.
**SSI ESTABLISHED BY 1972 AMENDMENTS TO SOCIAL SECURITY ACT. PROGRAM PROVIDES MINIMUM INCOME FOR THE AGED, BLIND, AND DISABLED.

SOURCE: TABLE 8.6 HEALTH CARE FINANCING ADMINISTRATION, U.S. DEPT. OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, MEDICARE: REIMBURSEMENT BY STATE AND COUNTY (SOME UNPUBLISHED).
TABLE 8.7 SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION, U.S. DEPT. OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, SUPPLEMENTAL SECURITY INCOME, STATE AND COUNTY DATA, DECEMBER, ANNUAL.

- TABLE 8.8 -
AID TO FAMILIES WITH DEPENDENT CHILDREN (AFDC) AND MEDICAL ASSISTANCE (MEDICAID)
STATE FISCAL YEARS ENDING JUNE 1979 TO JUNE 1984

FISCAL YEAR	AFDC - TOTAL PAYMENTS FISCAL YEAR (DOLLARS)	AFDC - AVERAGE NO. CASES PER MONTH	AFDC - AVERAGE MONTHLY PAYMENT (DOLLARS)	*MEDICAID - TOTAL PAYMENTS FISCAL YEAR (DOLLARS)	*MEDICAID - AVERAGE NO. CASES PER MONTH	*MEDICAID - AVERAGE MONTHLY PAYMENT (DOLLARS)
1984	245,920	74	276	731,804	136	448
1983	200,058	65	256	573,367	133	359
1982	176,114	73	203	512,888	136	324
1981	176,406	83	178	406,396	145	234
1980	167,915	77	181	341,201	122	234
1979	191,796	85	189	307,194	135	190

- TABLE 8.9 -
HOUSEHOLDS RECEIVING FOOD STAMPS AND VALUE OF STAMPS:
STATE FISCAL YEARS ENDING JUNE 1979 TO JUNE 1984

FISCAL YEAR	**AVERAGE NO. PUBLIC ASSISTANCE HOUSEHOLD CASES PER MONTH	**AVERAGE NO. NON-ASSISTANCE HOUSEHOLD CASES PER MONTH	AVERAGE MONTHLY PAYMENT PER CASE (DOLLARS)	TOTAL PAYMENTS FISCAL YEAR (DOLLARS)
1984	52	136	136	308,796
1983	37	130	128	258,411
1982	32	140	117	242,190
1981	29	145	106	221,590
1980	24	132	100	187,008
1979	31	82	90	123,609

...NOT APPLICABLE.
*DATA FOR WHICH COUNTY BREAKDOWN WAS PROVIDED. **COUNTIES DO NOT ADD EXACTLY TO STATE TOTAL BECAUSE OF ROUNDING.

SOURCE: TABLE 8.8 MONT. DEPT. OF SOCIAL AND REHABILITATION SERVICES, BUR OF STATISTICS AND RESEARCH, STATISTICAL REPORTS, STATE FISCAL YEARS 1979 THROUCH 1984 AND SOME UNPUBLISHED DATA.
TABLE 8.9 IBID.

- TABLE 9.1 -
ESTIMATES OF THE NUMBER OF FARM RESIDENTS: 1970 AND 1980
(BASED ON 1970 DEFINITION OF FARM*)

ITEM	FARM POPULATION 1980	FARM POPULATION 1970	PERCENT OF THE TOTAL POPULATION 1980	PERCENT OF THE TOTAL POPULATION 1970
MONTANA	67,546	82,129	8.6	11.8
PONDERA	1,165	1,886	17.3	28.5

- TABLE 9.2 -
**FARMS, LAND IN FARMS, AND VALUE OF FARMS: 1978 AND 1982

ITEM	***ALL FARMS TOTAL	***ALL FARMS ACRES	***ALL FARMS PERCENT OF LAND AREA	FARMS WITH SALES OF $10,000 OR MORE TOTAL	FARMS WITH SALES OF $10,000 OR MORE ACRES	****VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS ***ALL FARMS AVG. PER FARM (DOL.)	****VALUE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS ***ALL FARMS AVG. PER ACRE (DOL.)	FARMS WITH SALES OF $10,000 OR MORE AVG. PER FARM (DOL.)	FARMS WITH SALES OF $10,000 OR MORE AVG. PER ACRE (DOL.)
1982									
MONTANA	23,570	60,539,209	65.1	15,467	53,404,255	677,995	259	906,576	259
PONDERA	486	860,472	82.4	405	774,081	765,973	462	878,983	486
1978									
MONTANA	23,565	61,690,919	66.8	16,081	54,207,046	512,791	195	648,660	193
PONDERA	511	903,126	85.8	425	813,488	534,988	289	565,958	302

*IN 1970 A FARM WAS DEFINED AS A PLACE IN RURAL TERRITORY WITH AT LEAST $250 IN SALES OF FARM PRODUCTS, PLUS ADDITIONAL PLACES WITH 10 OR MORE ACRES AND $50 OR MORE IN SALES OF FARM PRODUCTS.
**CURRENT DEFINITION OF FARM IS ANY PLACE FROM WHICH $1,000 OR MORE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS WERE SOLD OR NORMALLY WOULD HAVE BEEN SOLD DURING THE CENSUS YEAR.
***INCLUDES ABNORMAL FARMS (INSTITUTIONAL FARMS, EXPERIMENTAL & RESEARCH FARMS, AND INDIAN RESERVATIONS).
****1978 DATA BASED ON A SAMPLE OF FARMS.

(D) NOT SHOWN TO AVOID DISCLOSURE. ...NOT APPLICABLE.

SOURCE: TABLE 9.1 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, CENSUS OF POPULATION: 1980, COMPUTER TAPE; 1970, SUPPLEMENTARY REPORT PC(S1)-27.
TABLE 9.2 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, 1978 AND 1982 CENSUSES OF AGRICULTURE, COMPUTER TAPES.

- TABLE 9.3 -
FARMS BY MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD: 1978 AND 1982

ITEM	ALL FARMS	VALUE OF PRODUCTS SOLD ($1,000)	*FARMS WITH SALES OF -- $100,000 OR MORE (NUMBER)	$40,000 TO $99,999 (NUMBER)	$20,000 TO $39,999 (NUMBER)	$10,000 TO $19,999 (NUMBER)	$5,000 TO $9,999 (NUMBER)	$2,500 TO $4,999 (NUMBER)	LESS THAN $2,500 (NUMBER)
1982									
MONTANA	23,570	1,547,160	4,244	5,155	3,384	2,684	2,295	1,795	3,914
PONDERA	486	47,588	152	153	59	41	27	13	39
1978									
MONTANA	23,565	1,177,454	2,727	5,656	4,413	3,285	2,538	1,991	2,842
PONDERA	511	29,103	66	191	110	58	34	18	33

- TABLE 9.4 -
LAND USE, ALL FARMS: 1978 AND 1982

ITEM	CROPLAND ACRES	CROPLAND PERCENT HARVESTED	WOODLAND (ACRES)	PASTURELAND AND RANGELAND (ACRES)	OTHER LAND (ACRES)	PASTURELAND, ALL TYPES (ACRES)	IRRIGATED LAND (ACRES)	LAND SET ASIDE IN FED. FARM PROGRAMS (ACRES)
1982								
MONTANA	16,452,331	57	2,032,152	40,811,816	42,054,726	43,590,441	2,023,003	506,572
PONDERA	564,989	56	3,931	266,100	291,552	284,690	57,908	21,176
1978								
MONTANA	16,232,608	54	1,921,154	42,357,296	43,537,157	45,086,568	2,069,531	794,860
PONDERA	568,356	52	10,588	293,104	324,182	335,658	47,906	26,129

...NOT APPLICABLE.
(D) NOT SHOWN TO AVOID DISCLOSURE.
*EXCLUDES ABNORMAL FARMS.

SOURCE: TABLE 9.3 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, 1978 AND 1982 CENSUSES OF AGRICULTURE, COMPUTER TAPES.
TABLE 9.4 IBID.

- TABLE 9.5 -
SELECTED FARM PRODUCTION EXPENSES; FARMS WITH SALES OF $10,000 OR MORE: 1982
(DATA BASED ON SAMPLE OF FARMS)

ITEM	LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY PURCHASED *FARMS	LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY PURCHASED EXPENSES ($1,000)	FEED FOR LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY *FARMS	FEED FOR LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY EXPENSES ($1,000)	COMMERCIAL FERTILIZER *FARMS	COMMERCIAL FERTILIZER EXPENSES ($1,000)	HIRED FARM LABOR *FARMS	HIRED FARM LABOR EXPENSES ($1,000)	ENERGY AND PETROLEUM PRODUCTS *FARMS	ENERGY AND PETROLEUM PRODUCTS EXPENSES ($1,000)
MONTANA	6,286	159,552	9,446	105,021	9,078	78,713	8,419	81,737	15,419	150,390
PONDERA	133	1,226	202	1,749	351	5,960	243	2,174	405	4,762

- TABLE 9.6 -
FARM OPERATORS - CHARACTERISTICS AND TENURE, AND TYPE OF ORCANIZATION: 1982
(FARMS WITH SALES OF $10,000 OR MORE)

ITEM	NUMBER	AVERAGE AGE	PRINCIPAL OCCUPATION FARMING (PERCENT)	FULL OWNER OF FARM OPERATED (PERCENT)	TYPE OF FARM ORCANIZATION: INDIVIDUAL OR FAMILY	PARTNERSHIP	CORPORATION	OTHER
MONTANA	15,467	50.4	89	37	11,524	1,635	2,100	208
PONDERA	405	48.9	92	41	291	26	85	3

- TABLE 9.7 -
ESTIMATES OF CROSS INCOME OF ALL FARM OPERATORS: 1980 - 1982

ITEM		1982	COUNTY RANK	1981	1980
TOTAL CASH RECEIPTS AND OTHER INCOME	($1,000)	61,086	8	51,099	44,118
CASH RECEIPTS FROM MARKETINGS	($1,000)	50,746	8	44,583	39,845
CROPS		43,333	3	37,396	31,399
LIVESTOCK AND LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS		7,413	41	7,187	8,446
OTHER INCOME	($1,000)	10,340	4	6,516	4,273
COVERNMENT PAYMENTS		5,601	8	2,149	231
IMPUTED AND OTHER INCOME RECEIVED		4,739	15	4,367	4,042

*NUMBER OF FARMS REPORTING. (D) NOT SHOWN TO AVOID DISCLOSURE.

SOURCE: TABLE 9.5 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, 1982 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE, COMPUTER TAPE.
TABLE 9.6 IBID.
TABLE 9.7 BUR OF ECONOMIC ANALYSIS, U.S. DEPT. OF COMMERCE, RECIONAL ECONOMIC INFOR. SYSTEM, COMPUTER TAPE.

- TABLE 9.8 -
COUNTY RANK IN THE STATE'S AGRICULTURE: 1981 - 1983

ITEM	1983	RANK	1982	RANK	1981	RANK
LIVESTOCK INVENTORY						
ALL CATTLE AND CALVES (JAN. 1)	29,500	42	29,500	39	26,100	40
STOCK SHEEP AND LAMBS (JAN. 1)	6,300	25	6,100	29	5,700	29
HOGS AND PIGS (DEC. 1)	NA	...	9,100	2	12,300	2
CHICKENS (DEC. 1)	NA	...	31,000	8	18,400	11
CROP PRODUCTION						
ALL WHEAT (BUSHELS)	6,550,400	4	8,473,000	6	7,800,800	5
WINTER WHEAT	4,604,400	5	5,084,000	3	4,785,200	3
SPRING WHEAT EXCEPT DURUM	1,316,000	17	2,239,000	15	1,903,000	15
BARLEY (BUSHELS)	5,720,000	3	6,759,200	2	5,055,800	2
OATS (BUSHELS)	97,600	23	130,200	22	149,600	9
ALL HAY (TONS)	48,400	34	64,700	33	52,500	36
SUGARBEETS (TONS)	0	...	0	...	0	...

- TABLE 9.9 -
TAXABLE VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL LAND AND IMPROVEMENTS: 1981 - 1984

ITEM	1984 TAXABLE VALUE ($1,000)	COUNTY RANK	1983 TAXABLE VALUE ($1,000)	1982 TAXABLE VALUE ($1,000)	1981 TAXABLE VALUE ($1,000)
AGRICULTURAL LAND	4,954,415	6	4,958,847	5,128,163	5,126,887
IRRIGATED	452,384	11	460,271	632,429	631,824
NON-IRRIGATED	4,148,477	4	4,145,911	4,137,903	4,136,930
GRAZING LAND	333,650	44	333,035	338,254	338,573
ORCHARD LAND	0	...	0	0	0
WILD HAY LAND	19,904	48	19,630	19,577	19,560
TIMBERLAND	0	...	0	0	0
IMPROVEMENTS	1,595,167	15	1,563,527	1,474,503	1,487,537

NA NOT AVAILABLE.
... NOT APPLICABLE.

SOURCE: TABLE 9.8 MONTANA CROP AND LIVESTOCK REPORTING SERVICE, MONTANA AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS, ANNUAL.
TABLE 9.9 MONTANA DEPT. OF REVENUE, BIENNIAL REPORTS (SOME UNPUBLISHED).

- TABLE 10.1 -
RETAIL TRADE SUMMARY: 1977 AND 1982

ITEM	NUMBER	*SALES ($1,000)	UNINCORPORATED BUSINESSES: SOLE PROPRIETOR-SHIPS (NUMBER)	UNINCORPORATED BUSINESSES: PARTNER-SHIPS (NUMBER)	ESTABLISHMENTS WITH PAYROLL: NUMBER	ESTABLISHMENTS WITH PAYROLL: *SALES ($1,000)	ESTABLISHMENTS WITH PAYROLL: COUNTY RANK	- PAYROLL -: *ENTIRE YEAR ($1,000)	- PAYROLL -: AS PERCENT OF SALES	PAID EMPLOYEES, FOR WEEK INCLUDING MAR. 12 (NUMBER)
1982										
MONTANA	9,504	3,955,199	5,576	899	6,429	3,825,972	...	442,412	11.5	55,670
PONDERA	87	27,831	57	6	60	27,166	24	2,582	9.5	311
1977										
MONTANA	8,880	2,847,520	5,280	919	6,348	2,735,656	...	315,255	11.5	49,851
PONDERA	91	22,854	59	8	63	21,878	23	1,894	8.7	299

- TABLE 10.2 -
RETAIL TRADE ESTABLISHMENTS AND SALES, BY KIND OF BUSINESS: 1977 AND 1982

ITEM	1982: ALL ESTABLISHMENTS (NUMBER)	1982: ALL ESTABLISHMENTS *DOL. SALES ($1,000)	1982: ESTABLISHMENTS WITH PAYROLL (NUMBER)	1982: ESTABLISHMENTS WITH PAYROLL *DOL. SALES ($1,000)	1977: ALL ESTABLISHMENTS (NUMBER)	1977: ALL ESTABLISHMENTS *DOL. SALES ($1,000)
TOTAL ESTABLISHMENTS	87	27,831	60	27,166	91	22,854
BUILDING MATERIALS, HARDWARE, GARDEN SUPPLY & MOBILE HOME DEALERS	NA	NA	3	(D)	9	1,553
GENERAL MERCHANDISE GROUP STORES	NA	NA	2	(D)	2	(D)
FOOD STORES	NA	NA	6	6,759	9	4,950
AUTOMOTIVE DEALERS	NA	NA	6	10,865	7	8,656
GASOLINE SERVICE STATIONS	NA	NA	3	1,175	10	1,400
APPAREL & ACCESSORY STORES	NA	NA	6	1,451	6	923
FURNITURE, HOME FURNISHINGS, & EQUIPMENT STORES	NA	NA	2	(D)	4	(D)
EATING & DRINKING PLACES	NA	NA	22	1,799	18	(D)
DRUG & PROPRIETARY STORES	NA	NA	2	(D)	3	(D)
MISCELLANEOUS RETAIL STORES	NA	NA	8	573	23	958

(D) WITHHELD TO AVOID DISCLOSURE. ...NOT APPLICABLE.
NA NOT AVAILABLE. FOR SOME 1982 DATA DUE TO AN ERROR IN IRS CODING.
*IN CURRENT DOLLARS.

SOURCE: TABLE 10.1 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, 1977 AND 1982 CENSUSES OF RETAIL TRADE, AREA SERIES, MONTANA.
TABLE 10.2 IBID.

- TABLE 10.3 -
WHOLESALE TRADE SUMMARY: 1977 AND 1982

ITEM	*ALL TYPES OF OPERATION: ALL ESTABLISHMENTS (NUMBER)	**SALES ($1,000)	**PAYROLL, ENTIRE YEAR ($1,000)	PAID EMPLOYEES, FOR WEEK INCLUDING MAR. 12 (NUMBER)	MERCHANT WHOLESALERS: (NUMBER)	**SALES ($1,000)	OTHER TYPES OF OPERATION: (NUMBER)	**SALES ($1,000)
1982								
MONTANA	1,809	4,940,547	265,659	16,396	1,588	3,747,352	221	1,193,195
PONDERA	26	103,388	3,066	194	24	(D)	2	(D)
1977								
MONTANA	1,815	2,968,857	162,348	14,176	1,512	2,019,025	303	949,832
PONDERA	31	(D)	2,064	190	26	36,635	5	(D)

- TABLE 10.4 -
SELECTED SERVICE INDUSTRIES SUMMARY: 1977 AND 1982

ITEM	***ALL ESTABLISHMENTS: NUMBER	**RECEIPTS ($1,000)	UNINCORPORATED BUSINESSES: SOLE PROPRIETOR- SHIPS (NUMBER)	PARTNER- SHIPS (NUMBER)	ESTABLISHMENTS WITH PAYROLL: NUMBER	**RECEIPTS ($1,000)	COUNTY RANK	PAYROLL: **ENTIRE YEAR ($1,000)	AS PERCENT OF RECEIPTS	PAID EMPLOYEES, FOR WEEK INCLUDING MAR. 12 (NUMBER)
1982										
MONTANA	NA	NA	NA	NA	5,014	1,005,964	...	345,050	34.3	31,557
PONDERA	NA	NA	NA	NA	36	2,741	31	859	31.3	86
1977										
MONTANA	8,036	448,994	6,454	627	3,000	386,154	...	114,392	29.6	17,846
PONDERA	66	2,123	57	4	24	1,409	26	365	25.9	102

(D) WITHHELD TO AVOID DISCLOSURE. ...NOT APPLICABLE. NA NOT AVAILABLE.
*INCLUDES MERCHANT WHOLESALERS, MANUFACTURERS' SALES BRANCHES & OFFICES, AND AGENTS, BROKERS, & COMMISSION MERCHANTS. **IN CURRENT DOLLARS.
***1982 ALL ESTABLISHMENTS DATA FOR SERVICES UNAVAILABLE DUE TO AN ERROR IN IRS CODING.

SOURCE: TABLE 10.3 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, 1977 AND 1982 CENSUSES OF WHOLESALE TRADE, AREA SERIES, MONTANA.
TABLE 10.4 U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, 1977 AND 1982 CENSUSES OF SERVICE INDUSTRIES, AREA SERIES, MONTANA.

- TABLE 10.5 -
SELECTED SERVICE INDUSTRIES AND RECEIPTS,
BY KIND-OF-BUSINESS GROUPS: 1977 AND 1982

***SELECTED KIND-OF-BUSINESS GROUPS	1982 *ALL ESTABLISHMENTS (NUMBER)	1982 *ALL ESTABLISHMENTS **RECEIPTS ($1,000)	1982 WITH PAYROLL (NUMBER)	1982 WITH PAYROLL **RECEIPTS ($1,000)	1977 ALL ESTABLISHMENTS (NUMBER)	1977 ALL ESTABLISHMENTS **RECEIPTS ($1,000)
TOTAL SELECTED ESTABLISHMENTS	NA	NA	36	2,741	66	2,123
HOTELS, MOTELS & OTHER LODGING PLACES	NA	NA	1	(D)	6	(D)
PERSONAL SERVICES	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
BUSINESS SERVICES	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
AUTOMOTIVE REPAIR, SERVICES, GARAGES	NA	NA	5	631	9	642
MISCELLANEOUS REPAIR SERVICES	NA	NA	NA	NA	11	191
AMUSEMENT & RECREATION SERVICES, INCLUDING MOTION PICTURES	NA	NA	3	134	3	(D)
DENTAL LABORATORIES	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
LEGAL SERVICES	NA	NA	5	353	6	(D)
ENGINEERING, ARCHITECTURAL, SURVEYING SERVICES	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
HEALTH SERVICES EXCEPT HOSPITALS	NA	NA	10	776	NA	NA

...NOT APPLICABLE.
NA NOT AVAILABLE.
(D) WITHHELD TO AVOID DISCLOSURE.
*1982 ALL ESTABLISHMENTS DATA UNAVAILABLE DUE TO ERRORS IN IRS CODING.
**IN CURRENT DOLLARS.
***1977 AND 1982 COVERAGE ARE NOT ENTIRELY COMPARABLE.

SOURCE: U.S. BUR OF THE CENSUS, 1977 AND 1982 CENSUSES OF SERVICE INDUSTRIES, AREA SERIES, MONTANA.

- TABLE 10.6 -
EMPLOYEES, PAYROLL, AND ESTABLISHMENTS, BY SELECTED INDUSTRY GROUPS: 1983

SELECTED INDUSTRY GROUP	*EMPLOYEES, WEEK INCLUDING: MARCH 12	PAYROLL FIRST QTR. ($1,000)	PAYROLL ANNUAL ($1,000)	ESTABLISHMENTS, BY EMPLOYMENT SIZE TOTAL	**1-4	5-19	20-99	100 OR MORE
TOTAL	1,079	2,977	12,904	200	134	59	7	0
AGRICULTURAL SERVICES, FORESTRY, FISHERIES	(B)	(D)	(D)	4	2	2	0	0
MININC	14	62	288	5	5	0	0	0
CONTRACT CONSTRUCTION	76	263	1,504	15	14	0	1	0
MANUFACTURINC	58	123	628	7	3	4	0	0
TRANSPORTATION & OTHER PUBLIC UTILITIES	71	246	1,061	10	5	5	0	0
WHOLESALE TRAOE	178	663	2,829	24	8	15	1	0
RETAIL TRAOE	325	695	2,731	59	36	21	2	0
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE	91	321	1,287	15	10	3	2	0
SERVICES	239	548	2,251	49	39	9	1	0
NONCLASSIFIABLE ESTABLISHMENTS	(A)	(D)	(D)	12	12	0	0	0

(D) FIGURES WITHHELD TO AVOID DISCLOSURE OF OPERATIONS OF INDIVIDUAL ESTABLISHMENTS; OTHER ALPHABETICS INDICATE EMPLOYMENT-SIZE CLASS: (A)0-19, (B)20-99, (C)100-249, (E)250-499, (F)500-999, (G)1,000-2,499, (H)2,500-4,999.
*EXCLUDES GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES, RAILROAD EMPLOYEES, SELF-EMPLOYED PERSONS, FARM WORKERS, AND DOMESTIC SERVICE WORKERS.
**SIZE CLASS 1 TO 4 INCLUDES ESTABLISHMENTS HAVING PAYROLL BUT NO EMPLOYEES DURING MID-MARCH PAY PERIOD.

SOURCE: U.S. BUREAU OF THE CENSUS, COUNTY BUSINESS PATTERNS, 1983, MONTANA.

- TABLE 10.7 -
BANKING AND MONETARY STATISTICS, INSUREO COMMERCIAL BANKS: JUNE 1980 - 1984

ITEM		1984	1983	1982	1981	1980
*TOTAL ASSETS OF ALL BANKS	($1,000)	85,617	80,602	72,699	68,619	59,910
LOANS, NET VALUE	($1,000)	34,675	31,506	31,940	29,708	28,708
REAL ESTATE LOANS (PERCENT OF GROSS VALUE)		24.2	25.7	25.4	27.5	28.7
**AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION LOANS	" "	35.9	34.0	41.3	40.0	36.2
**COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL LOANS	" "	24.3	23.5	16.7	17.8	17.1
PERSONAL EXPENDITURE LOANS	" "	14.7	14.9	12.8	13.8	17.3
ALL OTHER LOANS	" "	0.9	1.9	3.8	0.9	0.7
ALL OTHER ASSETS	($1,000)	50,942	49,096	40,759	38,911	31,202
TOTAL LIABILITIES OF ALL BANKS	($1,000)	75,076	71,208	64,577	61,495	53,482
TOTAL DEPOSITS	($1,000)	73,585	68,317	62,522	59,245	52,373
DEMAND DEPOSITS	($1,000)	8,984	10,504	11,429	12,360	13,235
TIME ANO SAVINGS DEPOSITS	($1,000)	50,559	57,813	51,093	46,885	39,138
ALL OTHER LIABILITIES	($1,000)	1,491	2,891	2,055	2,250	1,109
***EQUITY CAPITAL OF ALL BANKS	($1,000)	10,541	9,394	8,122	7,124	6,428

- TABLE 10.8 -
BANKS AND MONETARY RATIOS: JUNE 1984

ITEM	NUMBER OF BANKS	- VALUE - LOANS AS ****PERCENTAGE OF ASSETS	LOANS AS ****PERCENTAGE OF OEPOSITS	TIME DEPOSITS AS ****PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL DEPOSITS
MONTANA	161	63.0	72.8	69.9
PONOERA	3	40.5	47.1	74.1

*NET, AFTER DEDUCTION OF LOAN RESERVES AND UNEARNED INCOME. ...NOT APPLICABLE.
**EXCLUOES LOANS SECUREO BY REAL ESTATE.
***THE SUM OF THE VALUES OF PREFERREO STOCK, COMMON STOCK, SURPLUS, UNDIVIDED PROFITS, AND RESERVES.
****OERIVED FROM OATA IN TABLE 10.7.

SOURCE: TABLE 10.7 BOARD OF COVERNORS OF THE FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM, REPORT OF CONDITION, AUTOMATED DATA SERIES, COMPUTER TAPES.
TABLE 10.8 IBID.

APPENDIX A

Guide to Information Sources Not Listed in the Tables

- American Statistics Index (ASI) and Statistics Reference Index (SRI). Congressional Information Service, Inc., 4520 East-West Highway, Bethesda, Maryland 20814. Both are annual, with monthly supplements. The ASI is a guide to data collected by the Federal government. The SRI indexes state government and private data sources.

- Bureau of the Census Catalog, 1985. U.S. Bureau of the Census, Washington, D.C. For sale by Superintendent of Documents, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 20402.
  This catalog contains abstracts of products issued in 1984 and 1985, ordering information and forms, an index, and lists of sources of assistance. It also includes a special section which consolidates information about all products, regardless of the year of issue, from the 1982 Economic Censuses, the 1982 Census of Governments, and the 1982 Census of Agriculture.

- County and City Data Book, 1982. U.S. Bureau of the Census, Washington, D.C. For sale by Superintendent of Documents, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 20402.
  Issued every five years. Provides data from the most recent censuses, and data from other government agencies and private sources. Provides statistical data for every county, and every city with a population of 25,000 or more, as well as metropolitan areas, states, regions, and census divisions.

- Economic Conditions in Montana, 1984. Census and Economic Information Center, Montana Department of Commerce, Helena, Montana 59620.
  An analysis of the Montana economy in a national and international context. Contains information on key industrial sectors including agriculture, mining, manufacturing, and industries related to tourism.

- Editor and Publishers Market Guide. Editor and Publisher Co., Inc., 575 Lexington Ave., New York, New York 10022.
  Annual publication that presents copyrighted market survey data for states, larger counties, and larger cities.

- Montana Statistical Abstract, 1984. Census and Economic Information Center, Montana Department of Commerce, Helena, Mt. 59620.
  484 page compendium of information on the Montana population, economy, and natural resources.

- Montana Statistics. Bureau of Business and Economic Research, University of Montana, Missoula, Montana 59812.
  Annual supplement to Montana Business Quarterly magazine.

- Montana Statistics in Brief (monthly), Montana Employment and Labor Force, (quarterly), and Montana Employment, Wages and Contributions (quarterly and annual). Research and Analysis Bureau, Montana Department of Labor, Helena, Montana 59620.

- Statistical Abstract of the United States (annual). U.S. Bureau of the Census, Washington, D.C. For sale by the U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 20402.
  A national data book and guide to sources of information.

- Survey of Buying Power. Sales & Marketing Management magazine, 633 Third Ave., New York, N.Y. 10164.
  Annual publication presents copyrighted data on population, retail sales, and effective buying income for states, counties, and selected cities.

- Users' Guide. 1980 Census of Population and Housing. Part A: Text. Part B: Glossary. Part C: Index to Summary Tape Files 1 to 4. U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 20402.
  Provides an authoritative reference for the users of the 1980 census data including definitions of terms, specific questions asked in the census, information products available, and service offered by the Census Bureau.

APPENDIX B

The following notes and definitions are limited to a few concepts related to the presentation of statistical data in the Profile tables. Data users can find additional information in source documents listed at the bottom of each page of the profiles. In most cases printed reports containing even more information than that provided in the Profile tables are available.

County Geography: Anaconda-Deer Lodge County and Butte-Silver Bow County except Walkerville are areas where census boundaries were consolidated so comparable 1980 data for cities is not available.

Establishment: For census purposes, an establishment is a single physical location where business is conducted or where services or industrial operations are performed. See also "industry classifications".

Family: Household head and one or more persons living in same household who are related to the head.

Household: All persons who occupy a housing unit when it is occupied as separate living quarters.

Housing Unit: For census purposes a housing unit is a house, apartment, mobile home or trailer, group of rooms, or a single room occupied as a separate living quarter or, if vacant, intended for occupancy as a separate living quarter. "Separate living quarters" are those in which the occupants live and eat separately from any other persons in the building and which have direct access from the outside of the building or through a common hall. Housing unit inventory includes recreational vehicles, boats, caves, tents, railroad cars, etc. only if they are occupied as someone's usual place of residence. Vacant mobile homes are included provided they are intended for occupancy on the site where they stand.

Imputed Income: The term as used in Table 9.7 represents the estimated value of home consumption, and gross rental value of farm dwellings.

Index Numbers: An index number measures difference or change, relating one quantity of a specified kind to another quantity of the same kind, usually over periods of time. One kind of price index, the "Implicit Price Deflator for Personal Consumption Expenditures (PCE)", is used in Tables 6.5 and 6.6 with the assumption that price changes between the base year, 1972, and other years were the same in Montana as in the nation as a whole.

Industry Classifications: The Standard Industrial Classification (SIC) System classifies establishments by primary type of activity which is determined by their principal product or group of products produced or distributed, or by services rendered. See Tables 5.4, 5.8, 6.4, 10.2, 10.5, 10.6. Classifications are based on the 1972 edition of the Standard Industrial Classification Manual and its 1977 supplement. The SIC System facilitates the collection, tabulation, presentation, and analysis of data relating to business, industrial, and other types of establishments. It also promotes uniformity and comparability in the presentation of statistical data collected by various government agencies, trade associations, and private research organizations.

Labor Force: Persons 16 years old and over, employed or unemployed, constitute the civilian labor force. The civilian labor force and members of the Armed Forces constitute the labor force. "Not in labor force" refers to persons 16 years old and over consisting mainly of students, housewives, retired workers, seasonal workers in an "off" season who are not looking for work, inmates of institutions, disabled persons, and persons doing only incidental unpaid family work (fewer than 15 hours a week). Also included are the "discouraged workers" who do not have a job and have given up actively looking for work.

Mean/Median/Per Capita Averages: An arithmetic mean is the sum of the values of all items divided by the number of items. Sometimes called the simple average, the mean is used most frequently although it is not always the most meaningful descriptor. Because a mean is affected by very large or very small numbers, a median value may be more useful when considering small sets of numerical data.

Median is the value that divides the distribution (lowest to highest or vice versa) into two equal parts, one half the items falling below this value and one half exceeding this value. If there is an even number of items, the median is the average of the two middle items.

Per Capita is an average computed for every person in a specified population; the total value of an item divided by the number of persons in the specified population.

Net Migration: The excess of people moving into an area over those moving out. Negative net migration means more people left an area than migrated into it. See Table 1.5.

Poverty: Reference is to a set of money income cutoffs or "poverty threshold" against which income of families and specified persons is compared. The income cutoffs vary by family size, number of children, and age of the family householder or unrelated individual. Poverty thresholds are computed annually on a national basis only. No attempt has been made to adjust these thresholds for regional, state, or other local variations in the cost of living.

Residence: In the censuses each person was counted as an inhabitant of one's usual place of residence, generally meaning the place where one lives and sleeps most of the time. This place is not necessarily the same as one's legal residence, voting residence, or domicile. Members of the Armed forces living on military installations were counted as residents of the area in which the installation was located; college students as residents of the area in which they were living while attending college; inmates of an institution as residents of the area where the institution was located.

Sample Data: Data based on a sample (e.g., the long-form census questionnaire) are weighted or inflated to produce estimates of what a complete count would have found. The amount of chance error present between an inflated sample figure and a corresponding complete count is relatively small for large areas or large populations. However, for areas with small populations, sample data should be used with caution.

Social Security: For program definitions and history of the provisions of the Social Security Act, see the Social Security Bulletin, Annual Statistical Supplement, Social Security Administration, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services.

Urban/Rural Population: "Urban" and "Rural" are type-of-area concepts. Urban population comprises all persons living in urbanized areas (a central city and surrounding closely settled territory that together have a minimum population of at least 50,000) and in smaller places of 2,500 or more inhabitants outside urbanized areas. Rural population consists of everyone else. Within small counties, measurements of urban and rural populations over time may be significantly affected by the movement of a place's population across the 2,500 population threshold.